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LATEST INTELLIGENCE

By Telegraph to the New-York Daily Times.

CONGRESS.

THE PENSION APPROPRIATION BILL.

SUPPRESSION OF SMALL NOTES.

Another Governor for Nebraska.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Daily Times.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, Dec. 20.

MARK W. IZARD, of Virginia, late Marshal of Nebraska, was nominated by the Senate to-day for Governor, vice GOV. BURT, deceased.

THIRTY-THIRD CONGRESS....Second Session.

SENATE....WASHINGTON, Wednesday, Dec. 20.

Mr. STEWART reported in favor of the bill extending the California Land Commission. Passed.

Mr. SUMNER presented a memorial from the Baptist Free Mission Society of New-England, praying for a repeal of the Kansas Nebraska bill, and also of the Fugitive Slave bill. He moved that it lie on the table, as Mr. CHASE will soon call up his bill prohibiting Slavery in the Territories.

Mr. BAYARD moved the consideration of the act of the last session for the naturalization of children of American parents born abroad. Passed.

Mr. SUMNER [illegible] a resolution that the Committee of Commerce be directed to consider whether further legislation is necessary to protect the fishery interests.

The bill reported by Mr. FISH at the last session for the preservation of life and health aboard emigrant ships, was recommitted to a select Committee on the subject.

The consideration of the Pension Appropriation bill was then resumed.

Mr. [illegible] moved an amendment, the effect of which was to place the widows of the officers of the Navy on the same footing as those of the officers of the Army.

Messrs. HUNTER, STEWART and TOOMBS opposed it on the ground of not being germain to the bill, and for not having been examined by a Committee.

Messrs. [illegible], CHASE, BROWN and WELLER advocated it as a measure just in itself, and one which ought not to be defeated by technical points of order which had often been disregarded.

The amendment was then defeated and the bill passed.

Mr. BRODHEAD, from the Select Committee to which was referred yesterday the bill to establish a Board of Commissioners to adjust private claims against the United States, reported back a substitute, and gave notice that to-morrow he would call it up.

The bill asking for a department of Law was then taken up.

Mr. ADAMS advocated its passage.

Mr. WELLER thought the subject belonged to the Committee of the Judiciary, and he would therefore move the reference of the bill to that Committee.

Mr. [illegible] opposed the reference, and moved it be made till Tuesday next. Agreed to.

The Senate then went into Executive Session.

After the Executive Session Mr. STUART presented the petition of JOSEPH [illegible], asking for remuneration for property of his destroyed during the war of 1812. Referred to the Committee on Claims.

Mr. FISH's bill relative to Emigrant ships was referred to a Select Committee of five to be appointed by the President of the Senate, pro tempore. Adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, Dec. 20.

General WHITFIELD, the Delegate from Kansas, was announced, and took the oath to support the Constitution of the United States.

Several bills were introduced and referred—among them one by Mr. HUGHES, making an appropriation for the working of steam dredges on Lake Champlain.

The House passed bills granting additional powers to the Corporation of Washington, increasing the compensation of the Auxiliary Guard, incorporating a Mutual Fire Insurance Company in the District of Columbia, and authorizing the Gas Light Company to increase its capital.

On motion of Mr. FULLER, the Committee of Commerce was instructed to inquire whether any further legislation is necessary for the better defining the rights of seamen of the United States, in shipwrecks, and the property protected by them of citizens or subjects of foreign countries, under certain circumstances, and that the Committee report by bill or otherwise.

The House went into Committee on the bill to suppress the circulation of small notes as currency in the District of Columbia. After discussion, it was laid aside for the purpose of its being reported to the House. It [illegible] the issue of notes under five dollars, with a fine [illegible] for every offence; any person passing or offering to pass such notes a fine of not less than five or more than ten dollars; the person who [illegible] such bills refusing to redeem the same in gold and silver, a fine of twenty dollars; to be recovered as in an action of debt; traders to forfeit their licenses if they pay or receive such paper; all contracts involving small notes to be void; the act to go into effect next November. This, together with the bill authorizing the extension of the Metropolitan Railroad Company into Washington and Georgetown, and the bill to discharge the indebtedness of the District Penitentiary, passed, the first named as it came from the Senate.

House adjourned.

Supreme Court at Washington.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, Dec. 20.

SUPREME COURT, Wednesday.—No. 2.—*The Troy Iron and Nail Factory vs. George Odiorne, Jr., and F. Odiorne.* Appeal from the Circuit Court of Massachusetts.

Justice CATRON delivered the opinion of the Court, affirming the decree of the Circuit Court, with costs.

No. 23.—*The Propeller Monticello, John Wilson claimant, vs. Gilbert Mollison.* The argument was continued by Mr. GRANT for the appellee, and concluded by Mr. GILLETT for the appellant.

No. 24.—*The President, Directors, and Company of the Bank of Tennessee, plaintiffs in error, vs. Louis B. Horn.* Argument by Mr. JANIN, for defendant.

The Washington Globe and Messrs. Selden, Withers & Co.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, Dec. 20.

The *Globe*, of this city, says that gross errors exist in the schedule of Messrs. SELDEN, WITHERS & Co. In it, the late General ARMSTRONG is put down as owing the firm $32,000, when his estate owes it only $1,000. It further says, the preferred creditors who claim $55,000, are in reality no others than Messrs. SELDEN, WITHERS & Co.

LATER FROM RIO.

Arrival of the Bark Lapwing.

BALTIMORE, Wednesday, Dec. 20.

The bark *Lapwing* arrived here to-day, and brings dates from Rio de Janeiro to the 1st of November. B. H. PORTER, Esq., a passenger by her, came as bearer of dispatches to the United States Government.

Heavy rains were prevailing at Rio, and had greatly retarded business. Political affairs were quiet.

The Coffee market reopened after the arrival of the English steamer on the 25th of October, and 28,000 bags were sold at 3$900 a 4$900 for European lots; 4$300 for United States lots, and 4$450 for selected lots. The receipts from the interior were coming in freely, and dealers were disposed to keep the stock moving.

Richmond Flour was selling at 24½@25½ on credit, and Baltimore at 23@250.

Freights were firm at 70c. to 80c. for the United States.

The *Lapwing* left in port at Rio the United States steamship *Massachusetts*, Commander MEADE, repairing, bound to the Pacific. The United States brig *Bainbridge* from the River La Platte had just arrived.

The ship *Sophie Walker*, GRAY, from the Isle of Sal, was discharging, and the *Maria Green*, from New-York, had just arrived. The brig *Mary McRae*, BRAMHALL, from Wilmington, was discharging; the *Bonita*, SHACKLEFORD, do.; and the *Dolphin*, COLBY, from Montevideo, had just arrived.

Arrival of the Southern Mail—Large Robbery—Mail Difficulty in South Carolina.

BALTIMORE, Wednesday, Dec. 20.

By the arrival of the Southern mail, as late as due, we have received New-Orleans papers of Thursday.

The jewelry store of Mr. MUR, in New-Orleans, had been robbed of goods valued at $7,000.

A good deal of uneasiness was being felt in Charleston in regard to the transportation of the Southern Mail after the 1st of January next, as no agreement had yet been entered into between the Postmaster General and the South Carolina Railroad Company. It has been found impracticable to get boats to convey the mail between Wilmington and Charleston. Rumor says that the Postmaster General will save his bacon by allowing a sub-contract to the Railroad Company, granting their terms.

THE INFERNAL MACHINE CASE.

Conviction of Arrison in Cincinnati—Hog Market—Weather, &c.

CINCINNATI, Wednesday, Dec. 20.

The case of ARRISON, for the murder of the ALLISONS, was given to the Jury this evening, and, after being out only three hours, they rendered a verdict of murder in the first degree.

Hogs are selling to-day at $4@$4 50.

The weather is moderating.

Departure of Lord Elgin from Canada—Sir E. W. Head, his Successor, &c.

QUEBEC, Wednesday, Dec. 20.

Lord ELGIN will leave Canada on Friday next, via Portland and Boston, for New-York, where he will arrive on the Tuesday following. He sails for Europe in the steamship *Pacific*, leaving on the 27th.

Sir E. W. HEAD, his successor, was sworn in as Governor General yesterday. It is said the next *Gazette* will see all the officers who were deprived of their rank for joining the annexation movement, restored to their respective ranks.

Canadian Affairs.

KINGSTON, Tuesday, Dec. 19.

The weather here is exceedingly cold. The thermometer is now at two degrees below zero. Navigation is closing fast. There are large supplies of produce in the market.

HAMILTON, Tuesday, Dec. 19.

The Hamilton Bay is frozen over. Trading vessels have gone into Winter quarters.

GALT, Tuesday, Dec. 19.

A severe frost has occurred here. Owing to the improved condition of the roads, farmers are bringing large quantities of produce.

Meeting for the Relief of the Poor at Hudson.

HUDSON, Wednesday, Dec. 20.

A meeting of our influential citizens was held here last evening, to take measures for the relief of the poor, in view of the extreme depression of the times. An association was formed and liberal subscriptions taken on the spot for beginning at once the work of amelioration.

Strike of the Ship-Carpenters in New-Orleans.

NEW-ORLEANS, Wednesday, Dec. 20.

The Ship-Carpenters of this City struck in a body to-day, on account of the employers attempting to reduce their wages to two dollars and one half per day. And also wanting to lengthen the day's work by an hour and one half.

Marine Disaster.

PHILADELPHIA, Wednesday, Dec. 20.

The bark *Thomas E. Baxter*, Capt. SOULL, which left here on the 30th ult. for Boston, returned to port to-day, having encountered a gale on the 3d inst., which swept her decks, and after lying hove to for seven days, she was forced to return. On the 17th, she reached the Capes, and was taken in tow by the steamer *Tempest* and brought up to port. Capt. SOULL received serious injuries during the gale, and on account of which he was confined to his cabin for fourteen days.

Weather Reports.

BOSTON, Wednesday, Dec. 20—8 A. M.

Weather extremely cold. The thermometer stands at 6° above zero.

PORTLAND, Wednesday, Dec. 20—8 A. M.

The thermometer here at this time is 1° below zero.

CALAIS, Wednesday, Dec. 20—8 A. M.

The thermometer is 6° below zero. Weather clear.

EASTPORT, Wednesday, Dec. 20—8 A. M.

The thermometer stands at 5° below zero here.

BURLINGTON, Wednesday, Dec. 20.

At 8 o'clock this morning, the thermometer stood at 16° below zero.

Weather in Albany—Teams Crossing Over the Hudson River on the Ice.

ALBANY, Wednesday, Dec. 20.

At 6 o'clock this morning in this city the thermometer indicated 14 degrees below zero. At 12 o'clock it stood at three degrees below.

At the Half-way House on the Road to Troy early this morning it stood 16 degrees below zero.

Teams are now crossing the Hudson River on the ice in perfect safety.

LANSINGBURG.—The thermometer at this place was 16 degrees below zero this morning.

Mr. Benton Lecturing in Boston.

BOSTON, Wednesday, Dec. 20.

Hon. THOMAS H. BENTON lectured before the Mercantile Library Association this evening, in the Tremont Temple. The Hall was crowded. Between three and four thousand persons were present.

Non-Arrival of the European Steamers.

HALIFAX, Wednesday, Dec. 20—10 P. M.

The weather is quite thick, and the agents of the steamer *America* do not consider her fully due here before Thursday.

PORTLAND, Wednesday, Dec. 20—10 P. M.

We have no tidings as yet of the steamer *Sarah Sands*, now fourteen days out from Liverpool.

SANDY HOOK, Wednesday, Dec. 20—10 P. M.

The steamship *Washington*, now in her fourteenth day from Southampton, has not yet appeared off this point.

The Sunbury and Erie Railroad.

NIAGARA FALLS, Wednesday, Dec. 20.

A large number of Philadelphians arrived here over the new Railroad via Sunbury, this morning. They go on to Erie this afternoon.

TEMPERANCE JUBILEE.

DEMONSTRATION AT THE TABERNACLE.

LETTER FROM MYRON H. CLARK.

In pursuance of a widely circulated advertisement, a grand Temperance demonstration was held last night in the Tabernacle, for the immediate purpose, as stated in the requisition, of celebrating the election of MYRON H. CLARK as Governor. The attendance was large and respectable. A number of well-known Temperance speakers and advocates were seated on the platform, on the railing behind which was spread the American flag, with the name of the Governor elect affixed conspicuously thereon. On the organ was hung a large muslin banner bearing the inscription:

MYRON H. CLARK.
NEW-YORK IS COMING.
No Rum at all.

Elsewhere were smaller banners, with inscriptions commemorative of the adoption of the Maine law in the States of Maine, Connecticut, Michigan, Vermont, Rhode Island, Massachusetts and Minnesota.

The Tabernacle Choir and a brass band were in attendance, and performed at intervals throughout the proceedings. The annexed list of officers was chosen:

President—W. E. DODGE.

Vice-Presidents—James Harper, Robert H. McCurdy, Anson G. Phelps, C. C. Leigh, Thomas Denny, John D. Griscom, Horace Greeley, Abraham R. Voorhies, E. M. Hartley, A. R. Wetmore, John M. Oliver, J. W. Corson, J. B. Cornell, Col. E. L. Snow, Jeremiah Zorbell, Noah Worrall, J. W. Kellogg, W. D. Murphy, Thos. McNamee, Luther Jackson, W. W. Cornell, Jonathan Purdy, Dr. W. B. Palmer, Edward Kotchum, Dr. Miller, Dr. Harvey Burr, E. C. Andrews, Edward Falconer, W. H. Smith, W. H. Chrystie, Frederick R. Mather, S. D. Backus, James Mackrell, W. A. Hall, L. R. Ward, Melcdon T. Hewitt, H. C. Bowen.

Secretaries—John Marsh, C. Havey, C. J. Warren, Ab. Bogert, Mr. Banta.

The Choir, under the direction of GEO. ANDREWS, Esq., performed "a grand chorus."

Rev. Dr. COX, of Brooklyn, offered prayer; after which,

The President came forward and said it was their privilege, a few weeks since, to meet in this place, on the eve of one of the greatest struggles, so far as Temperance was concerned, that had ever occurred in this State. They had now met again to commemorate their success—to commemorate, against fearful odds, the triumph of their candidate, the man who declared for "No rum at all," and who, if the Temperance bill were passed, would not be the Governor to veto it. [Loud applause.]

Rev. Mr. MARSH, Secretary, said he had several letters from distinguished friends of Temperance who had been invited to be present at this meeting. He read passages from the communications of Chancellor WALWORTH, E. C. DELAVAN, of Ballston; HARRISON CAMP, Esq., late President of the New-York Society; E. F. POTTLE, Esq., Naples, N. Y.; Hon. NEAL DOW, Portland; Hon. A. C. BARSTOW, late Mayor of Providence; LUCIUS M. SARGENT, of Boston, author of the *Temperance Tales*; CHRISTIAN KEENER, of Maryland; General CARY, of Ohio, and Hon. HENRY L. ELLSWORTH, of Indiana, in which the election of MYRON H. CLARK, and the triumph of temperance principles that was manifested thereby, were referred to in terms of the warmest congratulation and commendation. In conclusion Mr. MARSH read the following

LETTER FROM GOV. CLARK.

CANANDAIGUA, Monday, Dec. 18, 1854.

DEAR SIR: I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your note inviting me to attend a congratulatory meeting of the friends of Temperance on the success of their efforts in the late election. If time would permit me, I should be happy to meet with the friends of Temperance and good order on that occasion, but private business and my public duties, preparing to meet the Legislature, will occupy every moment of my time to the opening of the session. Under the circumstances attending the canvass, I think the friends of Temperance who were true to their principles, and who sustained by their votes and their influence the nominees of their State Convention, have a right to congratulate one another on their triumphs. Although the plurality is small the victory is great. [Applause.] But the true and firm friends of Temperance have yet much to do before their final triumph will be achieved; and I trust no real friends of the cause will for a moment relax an effort until a prohibitory law shall not only be enacted but be enforced. Respectfully, your obedient servant,

MYRON H. CLARK.

To Rev. JOHN MARSH.

Loud applause followed the reading of this letter.

The subjoined resolutions were then read and carried by acclamation:

RESOLUTIONS.

Dr. MARSH, from the Committee, offered the following preamble and resolutions:

Whereas, We, citizens of this great commercial Metropolis and its vicinity, having, after years of arduous toil in the Temperance cause, the happiness to see a deliverance of our choice elected for the Empire State, it is right and proper, according as it does with the feelings of our hearts, that we should assemble for mutual congratulation, and to render thanks to Him who has heard us in the hour of distress and given us so glorious a victory.

1. *Resolved*, That in MYRON HOLLY CLARK, chosen from among the people to be Governor of this State, we have confidence as a man of intelligence, industry, wisdom, firmness, integrity, patriotism, and humanity; who will veto no righteous law for the suppression of intemperance; and, under whose administration, the noble motto of our State, EXCELSIOR, GO UP HIGHER, will be signally realized in the extirpation of the destructive liquor traffic, the consequent suppression of drunkenness, pauperism, and crime, the diminution of taxes, the peace and quiet of unnumbered families and an unwonted prosperity in every branch of human industry.

2. *Resolved*, That in the election of HENRY J. RAYMOND, a distinguished fellow-citizen, pledged to a prohibitory law, to the second office in the gift of the people; in the continuance of the State Senate, who voted with us in the last session; and in the return of a large majority in the Assembly from all political parties who sympathize with our movements, we feel that our cup is full, and that we can now present a bold front to the greatest curse which has ever afflicted this State and Nation.

3. *Resolved*, That we have, this night, the proud consciousness that in voting for MYRON H. CLARK for Governor of this State, we, as Temperance men, sought no alliance with any political or civil party; we steadfastly looked at one great object—the destruction of the liquor traffic. We bought no votes; we had no secrets; we stood openly in the light of day, and cried, "The Sword of the Lord and Gideon," and God gave us the victory.

4. *Resolved*, That the vote by which Hon. MYRON H. CLARK is elected Governor of the State is not a true test of the public sentiment in favor of a Prohibitory Liquor Law, since thousands, with us on this subject, voted for another candidate; that the difference between 200,000 votes given for HORATIO SEYMOUR in 1852, and 156,000 in 1854, is a true estimate of the change in public sentiment; and that, were the question of Prohibition now to be submitted to the people without any connection with the elevation of individuals to office, it would be found, in our opinion, that two-thirds of the voters in the State are in favor of such a law.

5. *Resolved*, That those who declare that this is not a Temperance victory, but a victory of one of the great political parties, because a portion of our brethren were deluded to the support of another candidate, are eating a pill as bare as it was false. MYRON H. CLARK was the man of our nomination—the man who, for three years, has fought our battles in high places, and who was voted for by Temperance men of all political parties. He knows who are his friends, but will be Governor of the Empire State.

6. *Resolved*, That now, after years of successful struggle against intemperance and all its sources, we rightfully expect and claim from the elected Government of the State the early enactment of a sound prohibitory liquor law, embracing all the features of the law vetoed by Governor HORATIO SEYMOUR. No chicanery or fraud, or political management, or plea for moderation, or threats or crocodile tears of brewers and vendors shall deprive us of it. If we fail now, we will, in the strength of Him who has helped us, persevere, until the law, the whole law, and nothing but the law, is placed upon the Statute book of the Empire State.

7. *Resolved*, That, in our exultation at the result of the election, and our determinations for the future, we disclaim all disposition to dictate to or insult over our fellow-citizens; on the contrary, we commend to their diligent study the necessity, wisdom, constitutionality and utility of the law we seek; and especially its most healthful and salutary operations in sister States; with the earnest inquiry, whether it shall not now, at once have the approbation and support of every philanthropist, patriot, and Christian?

8. *Resolved*, That since the matured opinion of Gov. SEYMOUR, expressed in his late acceptance of his nomination, that "the Temperance bill of last year is subversive of all the well-settled principles of legislation, jurisprudence, and the laws of evidence; directly violating the Constitution of the State and destructive to the rights of persons and property," has been proved in this election to be not the matured opinion of those who choose the Governor, it is to be hoped that both his Excellency and his friends will not only be content with the decision at the ballot box, in conformity with his promise, but that they will cheerfully acquiesce in it and give it their entire support from Montauk to Erie, and from the mighty St. Lawrence to our most Southern border.

9. *Resolved*, That as citizens of the State, we solemnly pledge ourselves to the Honorable the Senate and the Assembly and to his Excellency the Governor elect, our support in their early enactment of a true prohibitory law; and as citizens of this and its sister commercial city, we pledge ourselves to Hon. FERNANDO WOOD and Hon. GEORGE HALL, Mayors elect, in all their efforts for its enforcement for the peace and order of the community.

10. *Resolved*, That, when we adjourn, we will adjourn to meet again in this place on the adoption of the Maine law in the Empire State; here to celebrate, not a political but a moral triumph; a triumph of virtue over vice, of humanity over the most cruel despotism, of patriotism over the direst foe to a nation's prosperity, of domestic love and joy over that which fills numberless families with wounds and grief, a triumph which will cheer the hearts of the great and the good of every country and every clime in their conflicts with all that debases and crushes man.

The Choir sang a Temperance Hymn.

The President then came forward and asked if Mr. CULVER was in the house, but no answer was returned.

In the absence of Mr. CULVER, Rev. Mr. MARSH, in a very allegorical address, compared the perils, the trials, and the ultimate safety and victory of the Temperance cause to a vessel at sea in stormy weather, beset at first by the ships of the Hards and the Softs. Eventually she came in sight of a third, the character of which she did not know, but which she thought fit to hail. "Ship ahoy! where are you from?" "Don't know." "Where are you going?" "Don't know." "What have you got on board?" "Don't know." "What is your cargo?" "Don't know." "Well, what is your name?" "Know-Nothing." [Great laughter and cheers.] Many of the Temperance crew [illegible] deserted their ship, and their commander was for a moment stupified when he saw them forsake him. Then the Know-Nothing with her stolen crew took the lead, and they supposed that she had gained the victory, but she was so elated with the success that she paid but little attention to her course; and soon the Soft frigate, having plenty of rum on board of her, was far ahead, and the Hard was falling far behind. The Maine Law went on step by step, hoping that the breeze would carry her onward, and she was ahead of the Know-Nothing, by and by the Soft with her drunken crew struck, and the Hard sank, and soon the Maine Law sailed triumphantly into port, and took on board Commodore CLARK, who will be prepared on the 1st of January to go out and sweep every pirate from the ocean. [Loud applause, amid which the speaker retired.]

SPEECH OF GOV. DUTTON.

The President next introduced

Gov. DUTTON, of Conn., who advanced amid much applause. Such a reception from such men, he said, might gratify any man. He could not ascribe it either to the fact of a personal intimacy with those whom he addressed, or because he was Governor of Connecticut, but because he had put his official signature to a prohibitory Maine Law. [Applause.] This being the ground they honored themselves in honoring him. Whether viewed in its benevolent, or moral, or political aspects, the question of a Maine Liquor Law was the most important that had ever occupied the attention of the people of the United States.

The prohibitory law, he said, was in operation in Connecticut since about a year ago, and it had been a complete triumph—there cannot now be found a grog-shop in the whole State.

The law has been so framed that its enforcement is insured in all parts. One may travel in any portion of Connecticut, and inquire and look where he may please, without finding a single place for the sale of the poisonous liquid. He had not seen a drunkard there since the 1st of Aug., though after coming to this City he saw one the first day.

The prosecutions for crime in Connecticut have been materially diminished, and the more violent class of offences have lessened more than one half. There are thousands now in comfortable circumstances, that without the protection of this law, would have been homeless this bleak Winter. [Applause.]

It seemed to be apprehended among those where the law had not taken effect, that by its operation there would be a violation of the sanctities of privacy. The father of lies never invented a greater falsehood. [Applause.] On the other hand, no law ever gave greater security to home and the family circle.

The law so justifies itself to man's reason and judgment, after a fair trial, that they cannot oppose it. It takes away not only the motive but the incentive to violence. There are no scenes of violence without rum, and by removing the rum, riots are removed.

The beauty of the law is its simplicity and efficacy. The most simple mode of being rid of an evil is to remove it. This is the operation of the Liquor law—the offensive article which does so much mischief, is simply removed where it can do no harm. It was often iterated that moral suasion was the most effective, and that it only should be used in such cases—but moral suasion could only be effectual with moral men. With those whose moral sentiments were destroyed or seared, legal suasion only would have effect. He was glad to know that the citizens of this State had taken the first step toward securing the aid of the same beneficial law, in overcoming the degrading influence of rum drinking. He congratulated them that they were to have a Governor who was elected because he was a Temperance man, and did not become a Temperance man because he wanted to become Governor. [Great applause.] He had no doubt that the great mass of the people would uphold the law, and that there was no ground of apprehension that it could not be enforced. Yet there never was a time which called for more efficient action, on the part of the friends of Temperance, than the present.

In conclusion, he said that many influential States had already adopted a beneficial prohibitory law, and when New-York would follow, all the rest of the States would come after, and thus the greatest evil in this country would be annihilated, and this land would be truly blest. [Great applause.]

E. D. CULVER, Esq., of Brooklyn, was the next speaker. He reviewed in a very interesting manner the ups and downs of the canvass after the last Election; the final shattering of the hopes of the rum advocates, and the heartfelt rejoicing of the great mass of the citizens of the State. The results following this Election, he said, would be a straight-forward recommendation for a Maine Law in the next Governor's Message, instead of abstract reasoning upon the beneficial effects of Temperance, with advice not to be rash in legislation on the subject, and concluding with with nothing—another good result of the election would be the disposition of the party based upon the liquor interest, and dispel the hesitancy of legislators with regard to prohibition. Many were of the opinion that the prohibitory law was a very good one with the exception of the seizure and destruction clause, but without that clause no law with regard to the matter could be of any force. The right secured by this law to the wife, to procure action against those who dealt out the destructive agent to her husband was another beneficial provision. But he had not come there wholly to speak in favor of a prohibitory law. He came "not to praise, but to bury Cæsar." There was a man who had vetoed the Maine Law, and who was afterwards a candidate for reelection. He was put up by his party, but did not adopt the views of a single party except that of rum—he took the rum-barrel head for his platform, and that had gone down and taken him with it. What a great argument for temperance, said he, would be a comparison of an array of the cohorts of rum who voted for SEYMOUR, and the true men who voted for CLARK and temperance. [Applause.]

The President called on the audience for a subscription, for the sinews of war, as he said, and in the meantime introduced

Mr. CHAMBERS, of Philadelphia, who said he had never left his home on a colder morning than this, nor with a warmer heart. They, (the Temperance party,) now understood where they were, what they had done, and what they had to do. They had done more in Pennsylvania even for Temperance than had been done in New-York. In Berks County only, had the Temperance party been whipped, but that was not astonishing as the old people there were yet under the impression that they were voting for General JACKSON. [Laughter.]

The Maine Law was essentially republican in its principles; its object was not only the greatest good for the greatest number, but the greatest good for everybody. The day was coming when it would prevail in every State—when it would sway all legislative bodies, and when crime, and heavy taxation, and poverty, and human wretchedness would disappear, and peace, and plenty, and happiness prevail. He believed as firmly as he believed in the Father, Son and Holy Ghost, that Republicanism could be preserved only by the intelligence and morality of a people, and that neither intelligence nor morality could exist among a people where rum was the reigning influence. [Loud applause.]

Rev. Mr. HATFIELD disclaimed all identity with Rev. Dr. HATFIELD, of the Broome-street Church, and made a few brief remarks apropos to the object for which the meeting had assembled.

Mr. MARSH had some fault to find with Mr. CHAMBERS. That gentleman was so eloquent that many of the audience had not seen the money-box, and, as a natural consequence, the amount collected would not half pay the expenses of the meeting, which had been a very expensive affair. He therefore threw out the statement by way of suggestion.

Rev. THEO. L. CUYLER, in compliance with loud calls from the audience, made a few very brief and pertinent remarks, after which the meeting terminated.

FIRE IN BROADWAY.

Burning of the City Assembly Rooms and Wood's Minstrel Hall.

A FIREMAN KILLED.

LOSS OF PROPERTY $200,000.

Some weeks have elapsed since the time of the extensive conflagrations in this City, but the catalogue was renewed yesterday. The extensive range of buildings known as the "City Assembly Rooms," on the east side of Broadway, between Howard and Grand streets, took fire at 3 o'clock in the morning, and were totally consumed, together with the new and elegant concert-room occupied by GEORGE CHRISTY & WOOD'S Minstrels.

The fire was discovered in the vicinity of the hot-air registers in the southeast corner of the Ball-room. The Annual Ball of the Tailors' Protective Union was in progress at the time. The barkeeper, supposing the fire to be a trifling affair, threw on some water and said nothing to alarm the guests. A few minutes after, however, he discovered smoke up stairs, coming from another section of the floor. Upon this, he thought it best, judging there might be more danger than he imagined, to call Mr. MILLER, (the lessee and part owner of the premises,) and did so. This was shortly after 3 o'clock A. M. Mr. MILLER directly began to investigate the extent and locality of the danger. He examined the flue, and could discover nothing. He then went upon the roof, and upon effecting an opening between the roof and the ceiling underneath a volume of smoke came rushing up, so black and dense that, as he expressed it, he thought it would lift him up. Meanwhile the fact was communicated to the dancing party below, and the Hall was quietly cleared.

The alarm was at once given, and the Firemen were promptly at their posts. The night was bitterly cold—altogether the coldest of the season—and the Croton froze in the hose almost as soon as the streams began to flow from the hydrant. It was thought at one time that it would be impossible to obtain a sufficient supply of water to check the progress of the flames. The firemen, however, worked manfully, although icicles hung from the hose, and coats were caked in ice. A hydrant-box was set on fire to thaw the ice, and a small stream was brought to bear upon the building, and other jets were forced to play upon the fire from Broadway. The flames gathered rapid headway, and in twenty minutes after the alarm was sounded, the walls of the Assembly Building fell in. The front wall extended for a distance of *one hundred feet*, covering Nos. 442, 444, 446, 448, and 450 Broadway. It was of brick, and fell at once, with a terrible crash.

No. 440 Broadway was occupied in the first story as a carriage store by ISAAC MIX, but as the firemen managed to save most of the contents, Mr. MIX's loss was not large. There were taken out of the premises uninjured, 10 light wagons and carriages, 1 box carriage, 4 pair of carriage cushions, and 3 pair of carriage lamps.

No. 442 Broadway was the old Olympic Theatre, (MITCHELL'S,) remodelled into a store, which was occupied by the Cheshire Crystal Glass Company. This building was a four-story house, owned by JOSEPH MUIR. Mr. MARCUS COLBURN was Agent of the Glass Company, and had just stored a new invoice of goods valued at $27,000. This is nearly a total loss—insured for $5,000 in the Pacific Company. The material embraced sheet, window, skylight and floor glass. There are supposed to be *one hundred tons* of this glass in a fragmentary state, remaining in the ruins, valued in its present condition at 2 cents per pound. Mr. G. HANNINGTON, glass-stainer, also occupied a portion of this building, having recently removed thither. His loss is $2,000—uninsured.

No. 444 Broadway was occupied by GEORGE CHRISTY & WOOD'S Minstrels. The company had expended a large amount in fitting up the properties of their Concert-Hall, providing instruments, wardrobes, &c., and had succeeded in arranging a very agreeable place of public entertainment. Several valuable musical instruments were totally destroyed; among them a violin valued at $300. The aggregate loss is estimated at $15,000, on which there is no insurance. The safe and papers belonging to the company were rescued. We understand that an offer of $30,000 for the good-will of the concern was on the point of being closed, when this calamity happened. Mr. WOOD had decided upon accepting the proposition, and was to have given his answer on the 24th inst. The Hall formerly occupied by E. P. CHRISTY, No. 472 Broadway, in which performances have lately been conducted by the consent of the CHRISTY & WOOD Company, will be immediately brought into requisition, and the concerts will be resumed at that place this evening, with a selection from the force of both Companies.

The upper floors of Nos. 444, 446, 448 and 450 Broadway, comprised the extensive Hall and Supper Rooms, known as the "City Assembly Rooms." The ground floors of all these buildings were occupied by stores.

Dr. M. W. GRAY occupied the store No. 444 as a drug store. His loss is $600; no insurance. The stock consisted mainly of patent medicines. Dr. GRAY also lost a good library.

Mr. JOSEPH A. POZZONI kept a fruit and liquor store, at No. 442½. Loss, $800; no insurance.

No. 446 was occupied by ALEXANDER DUNCOMB, saddle and harness maker. A portion of the stock was saved. Loss probably only a few hundreds,—covered by insurance.

No. 446½ was occupied by Mr. HUNT as a boot and shoe store. Loss $500, not insured. The losses of the other occupants of this house were not known.

Mr. COSTAR exterminated Rats and Cockroaches, and had a "Happy Family" at No. 448. His "Family" was destroyed. It consisted of a quantity of rats, cats, mice, rabbits, owls, crows, hawks, and other neighbors,—usually unpleasant. The loss was $1,000; insured $500 in the Rensselaer Company of Lansingburg.

No. 450 was occupied by ROBERT MCKINSTRY, Jr., as a carriage repository. The store extended through the block to Crosby-street. The loss is stated at $60,000, above the insurance. The stock comprised some two hundred carriages, and a number of sleighs. Twenty carriages and a portion of the sleighs were rescued. The rear of this building on Crosby-street was destroyed.

No. 452 was occupied by JOHN COMSTOCK, as a furniture store. The stock was damaged to the extent of about $1,000. This building was but slightly injured.

THE ASSEMBLY ROOMS.

The City Assembly Rooms was the title given to the range of brick buildings erected by Mr. GEORGE W. MILLER, on the site of the old "Tattersalls," in the years 1850 and '51. The old Assembly Rooms were erected in 1845. Mr. MILLER took the ground occupied by the Tattersalls on a long lease from the LORILLARD estate. He constructed a handsome Ball-room, which was 85 feet long by 79 feet wide. The height of the ceiling was 32 feet. From a dome in the centre was suspended a chandelier valued at $3,000. At each end of the room was a mirror valued at $1,000. There were forty sofas, valued at $15 apiece. The curtains and cornices cost $800.

The lot upon which the buildings were erected was 150 by 120 feet.

Mr. MILLER sustains the heaviest loss. He had expended nearly $80,000 in fitting up the premises. His loss, deducting the insurance, is $80,000. Insurances were effected to the amount of $21,000 in the following Companies:

Broadway	$8,000	Astor	$8,000
Pacific	5,000	Harmony	[illegible]
Total			$21,000

Mr. MILLER's actual loss cannot be reckoned in dollars and cents. His rooms had been engaged for five nights in every week until the end of the Ball season. Hence his loss must be very serious. He will commence rebuilding at an early day.

Mrs. GILDERSLEEVE, a sister of Mr. MILLER, sustained a trifling loss.

LOSS OF LIFE.

A still more melancholy narrative remains to be told. The walls in the rear of No. 446 Broadway suddenly fell, about 5 A. M., burying beneath the ruins a young man named JAMES LOWERRE, belonging to Hose Company No. 7, and a Policeman of the Fourteenth Ward, named PATRICK MCVAY. Mr. LOWERRE's body was not recovered until nearly 6 o'clock last evening, when it was conveyed to the Fourteenth Ward Police Station, to await a Coroner's inquest. LOWERRE was 24 years of age, a plumber by trade, unmarried, one of five brothers, and was highly esteemed. He was a member of the Order of United Americans and of Company A, American Rifles. He resided at No. 131 East Twentieth-street. The appearance of his body indicated that he died from the effects of the flames, rather than by suffocation. None of the limbs were broken. The flesh of his hands, arms and feet was entirely burned off. The head and chest were also badly burned.

MCVAY, the Policeman, was soon taken out, and conveyed to his home, No. 244 Elizabeth-street. It is hardly possible yet to determine the extent of his injuries.

ROBERT OSBORN, a member of No. 3 Hook and Ladder Company, had a very narrow escape. He was standing near the walls when they fell. His hair and whiskers were burned from his head and face, his coat was badly burned on his back, and his fire-cap was smashed. He was picked out of the ruins by his fellow-firemen, and taken to the Broadway House, where he was attended. He soon recovered himself, however, and in a somewhat disabled condition returned to the fire. His cap saved his life.

Another member of Hook and Ladder No. 3, whose name we were unable to learn, had his hand cut and lost his fire-cap by the falling walls of the Assembly Rooms.

INCIDENTS.

A member of No. 36 Hose Company picked up the private bank-book of Mr. WOOD, which was promptly returned to him.

The congregation of Rev. A. A. WOOD, whose Church (Presbyterian, corner Broome and Greene-streets) was burned down some months since, were using the City Assembly Rooms as a temporary place of worship, and have consequently been burned out twice within a few months.

The conduct of a young man, named ROBERT SHERIDAN, who had charge of the hats, cloaks, &c., of the participants in the ball, is worthy of note. After the fire was announced, and everybody was rushing pell-mell after their things, he stood at his post with a revolver in his hand and would allow no one to touch or receive an article until he had shown his check. But for this precaution, and its effect to excite caution and self-possession among those present, there is no doubt but that the general haste and scrambling that would have ensued, and the inconsiderate hurry for egress, would have occasioned among themselves no little personal if not fatal injuries.

Several dwelling-houses on Crosby-street, in the rear of the Assembly rooms, were damaged by fire and water. The inmates were obliged to leave their rooms for the street while the fire was at its height. The loss, however, will not be very great.

The light of the fire was distinctly seen at Peekskill, a distance of sixteen miles from the City.

AGGREGATE LOSSES.

The aggregate losses by this fire will probably reach Two Hundred Thousand Dollars. Insurance will range from $40,000 to $50,000. The following is a recapitulation:

	Loss.	Insurance.
Geo. W. Miller	$78,000	$21,000
Robert McKinstry, Jr.	70,000	10,000
Christy & Wood	15,000	(none.)
Cheshire Glass Co.	27,000	5,000
Henry R. Costar	1,000	500
G. Hannington	2,000	(partly.)
Mr. Hunt	500	(none.)
Alex. Duncomb		(not stated.)
Dr. M. W. Gray	600	(partly.)
Joseph A. Pozzoni	800	(partly.)
Probable total loss		$200,000
Estimated insurance		$40,000

An *Annual Register*, in pamphlet form, with wood engravings, has issued from the office of the *Cultivator*. It contains brief and practical suggestions to farmers, as to the best way of performing their duties.

THE NEWSBOYS.

The Newsboys, like other mercantile professions, seem to contain different classes within them—the jobbers and the wholesale dealers. These last are older lads, who buy up papers by the hundred or thousand from the offices, and sell them or give them to sell on commission, to the smaller boys. Nearly all the newspaper stands down town,—that on the outside of the *Herald* office, the *Tribune*, at the different ferries and railroad depôts, &c., —are owned and managed by this class, and generally the small boys who sell there are journeymen, paid according to the liberality of their employers. Most of these younger boys live from hand to mouth, spending their money as freely as they get it, and accordingly have little capital to do business with.

But in all their various business transactions, says Mr. TRACY, "there is one *law* which is well understood and often executed upon the delinquent, and that is *punching*." When a boy has bought papers on credit, borrowed money, or sold as journeyman for another, and fails to meet his accounts punctually, he gets an "awful punching."

When selling for another, if he is unable to dispose of his stock, or in other words, "gets stuck," he must be able to prove clearly that he has not been "loafing," or he gets "punched." If a boy sells at the ferry or any other place where another claims the exclusive privilege, the punishment is "punching."

If a boy should happen to "step out" with a few shillings of another's money, he never dares to come round "those corners" until he settles up, otherwise a condign punishment of awful "punching" awaits him. Sometimes the delinquent is followed to the theatre, (the Bowery or National,) where a settlement is made in a "summary manner."

There is much generosity frequently shown by these boys to one another. With all their bad habits, they are often kind to each other. Mr. TRACY lately noticed a busy conversation going on among them. He inquired and found that they had been to the Races during the day, and that "Express" had spent $4 of "Pat's" money, and had come home *broke*, and now Pat was looking for him! The boys made up 20s., which they lent to the bankrupt boy, and this, together with a promise that the balance should be paid soon, satisfied Pat and the trouble was quieted.

These lads seem to earn easily. Their average profits must be 3s. or 4s. a day, and on Sundays often 16s. The late calamity, which has brought such sorrow to the whole community, was a rich harvest to them. On the day when the first news of the *Arctic* came in, many of these boys deposited $5 as a day's earnings in the Savings-Table of the Lodging-House. On Saturday evening, one of the little boys took a quarter from his box, was gone half an hour, and returned with 7s. 7d. from the sale of *Extras*.

Yet have the boys joined in the general feeling. They discuss it over the warm stove, after the school-hours, and admire the heroic Captain LUCE and hate the cowardly sailors, as much as any of us.

One came back after the sale of the Extras, and bent down over the fire, really solemn. "*Isn't it awful*, Mr. TRACY!" and then told of a lady in an upper street of the City who had rushed out of a house for one of his Extras, and then had shrieked and wept as she saw a name on the list. "I do hope he ain't lost, Mr. TRACY."

EXTRACTS FROM MR. TRACY'S DIARY.

Aug. 12, P. M.—This evening a Deaf Mute boy was brought from the office of the Children's Aid Society to lodge here, and it was interesting to see the conduct of the others towards him. Instead of trying to tease or make fun of him, as they sometimes do by strangers, their sympathy in his misfortune was very evident. But how the lady could talk to him with her fingers was the greatest wonder of all to many of them. This being explained, many pleasing efforts were made by them to interest the poor boy.

Aug. 13, Sunday Evening.—One boy, who has taken much interest in the Deaf Mute boy, seemed quite delighted with his success in trying to teach "Dummy" to read and write in English. They both staid in and spent the day in study, and the boy was much pleased that he could make his communications in English with considerable facility.

Aug. 11, P. M.—During a short interview which I had this afternoon with HORACE GREELEY, he said "I think of you as the man said of the Chaplain in [illegible] when he began to pray for General JACKSON, '*You have got a hard case now!*'" And, he added, "The Newsboys are the hardest cases to be found."

Aug. 28—Monday A. M.—FRANCIS W. CAMPFIELD alias CHARLES ATWOOD, after giving ample proof of his being an arrant villain this morning, added the final by robbing WM. DAVIS of $4 50 or $5, which was taken from his, WILLIAM's, pocket, in the dormitory, with which he has escaped.

Aug. 27—Sunday P. M.—Passing the *Tribune* office to-day I saw eight or ten newsboys sitting in the hand-cart and standing around it, all very cosily engaged in conversation. Most of these boys have slept at the Lodging-House quite regularly until within the last three or four weeks, and as I came near them they appeared quite restless; but seeing the opportunity too good to be lost, I opened upon them pleasantly, by asking a few questions. When I asked where they slept now, one keen little fellow [illegible] replied—"We have become [illegible] now, but somebody has stole our [illegible] and now I don't know what we'll do." I reasoned with them about the course they were pursuing—stealing papers, picking other boys' pockets, [illegible] strangers to yield to their unjust demands, sleeping out, &c. "It [illegible] and I have determined to take measures to stop it at once. Those who have homes [illegible] to them, and those who have no home must find one. I intend," said I, "to notify every boy [illegible] before I begin, and then he must not be [illegible] if at any time, day or night, he is arrested and sent to the House of Refuge." This [illegible] was given in a low tone, so as not to attract the attention of others; but still an occasional passer-by would stop to listen. If it was a boy, he [illegible]—"*Do you want anything?*" accompanied with a look and a gesture that satisfied him that he had better leave. A man who inquired "What is the matter here?" was told by one of the boys—"Oh, nothing, Sir; he (meaning me) is only [illegible]."

Evening.—Two of the ringleaders came in here [illegible] this evening, and as one of them was getting into bed he said—"Ah! Mr. TRACY, this is a *little* nicer than the box to sleep in!"

Aug. 14, A. M.—A man who is connected with one of the newspaper establishments, and whose duties call him out very early in the morning, told me that he saw *twenty-four* boys and men (and among them, one police-officer) sleeping in and about the corner of Ann and Nassau-streets, this morning, at about 4 o'clock.

A WANDERER RETURNED.

Sept. 5, Tuesday Evening.—One of the prominent characteristics of a newsboy is the love of liberty. Liberty to work or not;—liberty to eat or not; [illegible] liberty to sleep where and when he pleases—liberty to select his own associates and amusements;—in short, free, unrestrained personal liberty. A. S., who is a fair specimen of the best class of newsboys—industrious, independent, shrewd and liberal—[illegible] the Lodging-House he had been expelled for unruly conduct, to leave here and take private board and lodging where he might enjoy his inalienable rights unrestrained. After an absence of two weeks, however, he returned to the Lodging-House this evening. As he entered, without turning a glance to the right or left, with a glow of joy in his face that told how glad he was to return, he came right up to me, and, holding out his hand, said, "Ah! Mr. TRACY, I am coming back to you again!" After shaking my hand most heartily, he seated himself and gazed around the room, seeming perfectly delighted to get back again.

Sept. 9, Saturday Evening.—The number of lodgers has increased during the past week, notwithstanding the very hot weather, which has been fine as "*snoozers* and *bummers*" could desire. These boys always live well when they have the money. This evening, while a number of them were telling each other what they had for supper, I undertook to reason with them about their diet,—that they should avoid some of the nice things which they had mentioned, and live more upon plainer food, as that was healthier and cheaper; that they should allow their reason instead of their appetite to control them in the selection of their food. "Ah, Sir," said one boy, "when a feller is hungry and has a good hot dinner smokin' before him, it's no time to *reason*; and I have made up my mind that these ruffled shirt 'quills' (clerks) shan't eat up all the good things, no how!" I concluded to drop the matter for the present, and took another subject.

Sept. 10, Sunday, 2 P. M.—I put on my overcoat, and taking my umbrella, left home for the Lodging-House. When I arrived here, I found twelve or fifteen of our boys who had sought a shelter from this cold storm, in our stairway, anxious to get into the rooms. As they saw me coming up stairs, one cried out, "Here comes Mr. TRACY, now we can get in!" "That's good," said another. "Hurrah for Mr. TRACY!" and many similar expressions. Many of these little fellows who were poorly clad, and badly prepared for weather or a storm like this, were wet to the skin, and without the money they had taken this morning, which was *burning* in their pockets, would be chilled through with the cold. We interested them as well as we could for two hours, and while the boys were away for their supper, we put up the stove and made a good fire.

Sept. 10, Evening.—The storm and cool weather have driven in an unusual number of boys this evening. We have twenty-five lodgers, besides several who have spent the evening here and gone home, or somewhere else to sleep. All enjoyed our comfortable fire very much, and while we were teaching two little fellows their A B ab's, another boy was amusing a crowd who were cosily seated around the stove, by telling them how they would do on the cold snowy nights next Winter. Stooping down in front of the stove, with his head turned on one shoulder, and his hands held close to the fire, he said "Ah, won't you snoozers like to get up to this fire? Yes, you will, (with a toss of his head) —yes you will; I know it!"

Sept. 11, Monday Evening.—The cold weather and rain of yesterday, begin to make the boys realize that Winter is approaching in earnest, and now they begin to feel the force of the counsel I have given them about saving their money and preparing for Winter. One boy offered a resolution—"That no boy be allowed to take any money out of the 'Bank' until the 1st of November next"—which after being fully discussed was passed unanimously!

Sept. 15, Friday Evening.—JOHN ROSE, a Jew boy, orphan, aged 16, born in Petticoat-lane, London, England. His father and mother both died in this City—the first three and the last two years ago; since then JOHN has sold matches and slept in the cheap lodging-houses, at one shilling a night; has never slept out; has the prominent characteristics of the Hebrew race, not the least of which is the love of money.

Sept. 20.—The above boy went to the country with the large company in charge of Mr. SMITH.

Sept 20.—JOHN CAVENDISH, an orphan, aged about 15 years, from Liverpool, was sent here today from the office, to be renovated and equipped for the West. He told us he had been "knocking about" most of the time as cabin-boy from Liverpool to Dublin, and worked his passage as cabin-boy to this country. The poor boy was in a very filthy and forlorn condition, but with two faithful applications of soap and Croton, and three or four dollars' worth of clothes, was greatly improved. With many expressions of gratitude, he left in high glee, with Mr. SMITH, for the West.

NEWSBOYS' DICTIONARY OR GLOSSARY.

"*Bumming*" is a word used by the boys, which signifies roving about the streets of nights without sleep.

"*Snoozing*" is synonymous with "*sleeping out*." Itinerantly sleeping in boxes, empty casks, entries, stairways, printing-offices, markets, &c.

"*Bluffing*"—cheating verdant ones by selling them an article for more than it is worth—such as galvanized watches for gold—mock jewelry for genuine—old newspapers for latest issue, &c.

"*Grubbing*" is soliciting—more commonly or vulgarly termed *begging*.

We went down lately and saw some thirty-five of these boys collected together, as orderly and attentive to the speaker as any set of boys.

All had clean shirts, and were well washed—a very different looking set from the boys who met the first night in the Lodging-House. There is no reason why the newsboys should not be as honest, and saving, and decently dressed as any other class of boys in business. We believe there are boys now in that Lodging-House, who, if they have further opportunities, will make a figure in the world, and yet who, without this influence, would have been vagabonds on the street. Mr. TRACY has certainly acquired an excellent influence over them, principally by kindness and patience. C. L. B.

NEW-YORK CITY.

Sale of Valuable Books—Remarkably Low Prices.

We attended the sale of standard English works at the rooms of BANGS, BROTHER & Co., No. 13 Park-row, the last two evenings. The catalogue tempted us sorely. Some rare works, which we seldom meet with in this country, did their best to entice the cash out of our pockets; and, in view of the prices at which they were sacrificed, it really demanded the sternest resolution to resist the temptation. CHAUCER's Poems and Prose Works, in folio, black letter, SPEGHT's edition, including the translation of BOETHIUS, never printed in Roman letter, and one of the gems of earliest English prose, was thrown away, not sold, for the miserable sum of *seven dollars*. Fifty dollars for such a copy, (dated 1602, and not reprinted since,) would have been but a fair price. Sir PHILIP SIDNEY's *Arcadia*, his *Astrophel and Stella*, *Sonnets*, and *Defence of Poesy*, folio, a perfect copy, well bound, and never reprinted since 1627, was exchanged for $5 50—a most wicked sacrifice. The other works were similarly immolated at the altar of Hard Times.

Last evening, prices were worse, if possible. About forty persons only were present, and but few of those were bidders. A fine London edition of the Dramatic Works of MARLOWE, 3 vols., PICKERING's edition, handsomely bound, went off for $1 75 per volume. The Quarterly Review, complete from the commencement in 1809 to March, 1853, with all the indexes—92 volumes, morocco binding and gilt edges—a fine, rare and clean copy, sold for—what does the reader think?—*six shillings and sixpence a volume*. EVELYN's [illegible], in ten quarto volumes, a fine copy in gilt vellum—a very rare and costly edition—was sold for one dollar per volume. The same work in London would have commanded more than three times the price. MONTFAUCON's Antiquities, in 7 vols., a very fine copy, usually sold at $10 a volume went yesterday at $4 50. These were only a few of the sacrifices. The sale will continue to-day.

The Harlem Railroad Collision—Another Meeting.

The Committees appointed on the 3d inst. at a meeting of passengers on the Harlem Railroad, convened for the purpose of presenting a public testimonial to Messrs. CUMMINGS and STEWART for services rendered at the late collision on that road, met on Tuesday evening pursuant to adjournment, and made their reports. That of the Committee on Subscriptions was not complete, but $84 37 were handed in, which amount will be increased when all that has been subscribed is collected.

Messrs. FINDLAY and DANIELS, the Committee on Resolutions, made the following report:

Whereas, Through the criminal carelessness of the employés of the New-Haven Railroad Company our lives and persons are in continual danger; and

Whereas, The late collision not only imperilled the lives of all in the train, but has brought death in its most distressing form to the families of at least two, and the painful prospect of more to follow, besides the many injured for life.

Resolved, That in our opinion the time has fully come to demand, for the future at least, such care as will give reasonable security for our lives and persons, or we shall feel compelled to appeal to our Legislature for such action as will effectually protect us from their future recklessness.

Resolved, That our heartfelt sympathy is given to those families now mourning over lost and wounded friends, and we respectfully but firmly ask that *justice* may promptly lead that Company to do at least all acts in their power to repair the terrible evils brought upon their innocent victims and suffering families.

Resolved, That to the STEWART family, who, Good Samaritan like, opened their house and hearts to [illegible] as far as in them lay the sufferings of our wounded fellow-travelers on the morning of the collision, we feel impelled to present a testimonial of our gratitude and esteem for their unsolicited kindness.

Resolved, That Mr. CUMMINGS, our worthy conductor, deserves a similar mark of our respect and esteem, for his heroism at the brakes, regardless of self, and that his wounds attest his faithfulness to duty.

Signed in behalf of the meeting by the Committee.

The resolutions were unanimously adopted.

On motion of Mr. STILLMAN, it was

Resolved, That a Committee of two be appointed, on the receipt of all the contributions, to procure two silver goblets, with appropriate inscriptions, according in value with the amount subscribed; and that said goblets be prepared in season for presentation at the coming holidays to Messrs. STEWART and CUMMINGS, in such manner as may be determined on by the Committee.

The resolution was adopted, and Messrs. WM. DANIELS and JAS. ARMSTRONG were appointed such Committee.

The meeting then adjourned *sine die*.

Legal Inquiry into the Loss of the Arctic.

We understand that the Grand Jury has been for some time recently, and is at present, occupied in examining witnesses relative to the causes which may have led to the destruction of the *Arctic*. The persons whose evidence has already been obtained were either passengers or sailors on board the vessel, and so far as can be gathered from the proceedings thus far, it is not unlikely that the Grand Jury may be warranted in bringing the case into Court. Considerable difficulty was experienced in procuring witnesses in the primary stages of the inquiry. Everybody at first seemed anxious for an investigation, but nobody seemed willing or ready to lend any assistance in furthering it personally. At present, we believe, the Grand Jury have no doubt of their being able to procure as much material by way of testimony as will form a reliable foundation for a true bill against somebody or other.

The Ocean Bank Case.

The examination of MCGUCKIN, the defaulting Teller of the Ocean Bank, was postponed yesterday, by consent. It will probably take place on Saturday.

☞ Judge PHILLIPS was in the Marine Court yesterday for the first time in many weeks, having been confined to his room by a severe attack of congestion of the brain and bronchitis. The appearance of the learned gentleman indicated much physical suffering and extreme debility.

COMMON COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Board of Aldermen....MONDAY, Dec. 20.

N. C. ELY, Esq., President, in the chair.

REPORTS AND PAPERS CONCURRED IN.

Of Committee on Assessments in favor of concurring to confirm assessments for regulating Eighty-fourth-street, from Third to Second-avenue.

Resolution directing the Comptroller to pay $250 to each of the Commissioners of Health who are not compensated by annual salary for their services.

Report of Committee on Finance in favor of remunerating the Official Reporter of the Board of Councilmen, in the sum of $500.

On Wharves, directing the Street Commissioner to cause all boats of 150 tons and upwards, to be removed from slip between Oliver and Catherine-streets, and prevent all vessels of that tonnage from entering therein.

Of the Conference Committee appointed by the Boards of Councilmen and Aldermen to confer in relation to the charges against A. P. Heath, of Engine Company No. 14, recommending his suspension for nine months.

On Fire Department, in favor of presenting a testimonial to John W. Garside, for rescuing the lives of three persons at the fire No. 371 Grand-street, July 1, 1854.

On Salaries and Offices, appointing Thurber Bailey Commissioner of Deeds.

On Finance, with an ordinance for an additional appropriation of $50,000 for the support of the City Government for 1854.

PURCHASE OF THE EGYPTIAN ANTIQUITIES.

The Report, appropriating $15,000 for the purchase of ABBOTT's Egyptian Antiquities, which passed the Board of Councilmen, came up for consideration.

Alderman BLUNT moved its reference to the Committee on Arts and Sciences.

Alderman WOODWARD hoped it would be immediately voted down; he was decidedly opposed to vote the people's money for such purposes.

Alderman WAKEMAN said that the Committee of the other Board had given the matter the fullest examination, and a large number of the community were in favor of the project; he thought it should have at least a respectful consideration, and that citizens should have an opportunity to be heard in regard to it.

Alderman VOORHIS would have nothing to do with such flummeries. It was enough for the citizens of this country to worship the living God, without having anything to do with such idolatrous things as the "holy bulls" mummies, &c., of the Egyptians.

Alderman TUCKER was opposed to the appropriation, but to reject the report so summarily, he thought would be unbecoming and disrespectful to the other Board and to the prominent citizens who had petitioned in the matter.

Alderman HOWARD thought the collection to be a very valuable one, but was opposed to appropriate the people's money for its purchase. If the report could be amended so as to make the appropriation *for the purchase of hot rolls and coffee for the poor* each morning during the present Winter, he would heartily vote for it.

A motion to postpone action was lost, and the Report was non-concurred in, by a vote of 17 to 1; Alderman BROWN voting in the affirmative.

Adjourned to Friday, at 5 P. M.

Board of Councilmen—WEDNESDAY, Dec. 20.

The President, EDWIN J. BROWN, Esq., in the Chair.

PETITIONS.

Of a medical gentleman, asking to be paid $125 for performing a surgical operation on a very respectable woman, who was brought to the residence of the Doctor by one of the City Police officers.

Councilman KENNEDY moved that the Doctor have leave to withdraw his application; but on a division the motion was negatived, and the Doctor's bill took the usual reference.

Of sundry owners of property, asking for the extension of Gansevoort-street, grading, &c., of the land between the Tenth and the Thirteenth Wards.

RESOLUTIONS.

That the bell now idle upon Jefferson Market Station-house be placed on the new Station-house in Charles-street. Referred.

That the Chief Engineer be directed to use suitable means to prevent the hydrants from freezing. Referred.

That the Auditor in the Comptroller's office have his salary raised to $2,500. Referred.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Lands and Places.—Asking to be discharged from the further consideration of the petition of the Association for the Exhibition of the Industry of all Nations for the extension of the term of the lease of the Crystal Palace. Adopted.

Law.—Concurring with the Board of Aldermen to accept the surrender of the contract of Russ and Reed for the paving of Chatham-street. Laid over.

EXTRA APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1854.

The Committee on Finance reported in favor of appropriating $2,000 for the contingent expenses of the members of the Common Council for 1854, and $30,000 to pay arrearages due the Judges' Clerks and other public officers for the same year.

The Board then resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole, Councilman JEREMIAH in the Chair, and accepted the report, and unanimously recommended the adoption of the resolutions without amendment. The Board subsequently adopted the report of the Committee of the Whole and ordered the bill to a third reading, without a dissenting vote.

HARLEM RAILROAD.

The bill concurring with the Board of Aldermen, to extend the time for the use of steam below Forty-second-street to eighteen months instead of six months, from July, 1854, was considered, and ordered to a third reading.

RELIEF FOR THE POOR.

The bill appropriating $10,000, to be disbursed by the New-York Association for the Relief of the Poor, was, on motion of Councilman HODGKINSON, taken up and passed finally on a third reading. It will go before the Board of Aldermen this evening.

The Board then adjourned to Friday.

Board of Education.

A regular meeting of the Board of Education was held last evening. E. C. BENEDICT, the President, occupied the Chair.

A number of applications from School Officers *for appropriations, &c., were received and referred* to the appropriate Committees.

On motion of Mr. PHILIPS, the Committee on Warming, &c., was authorized to take steps to insure the warming of Ward School No. 38, at an expense not to exceed $300.

Mr. COOLIDGE offered a resolution, which was *referred, authorizing the Principals of the Grammar* and Primary Schools under the jurisdiction of the Board, to keep a record, to show, not only the number of months, but the number of days also, which each of their pupils has been taught, with the totals of months and days for each pupil for every year.

The Board then took up the special order of the evening—the Report of the Select Committee to whom was referred a resolution for preparing a tariff of supplies contemplated by the 11th section of article 20 of the By-laws. The Committee recommended the adoption of a by-law providing that supplies required by the several schools under jurisdiction of the Board, for the use of teachers, pupils, &c., shall only be furnished hereafter according to the annual average attendance of the preceding year, and in accordance with the tariff of supplies annexed, and on the written requisition signed by the Principal or Vice Principal of the school or department for which the same is required, and certified as approved by the Special Committee of the Board of Ward Officers authorized for such purpose, &c. The report was adopted.

The Committee on Supplies made a report adverse to a reduction of the number of members forming committees. The report gave rise to some discussion, but it was finally adopted.

On the recommendation of different Committees appropriations were made—of $10,000 for the use of the Depository, $1,000 for the Workshop, $2,250 for support and repairs of the Free Academy, and $40,000 for the support of the Ward Schools—$53,250 in all.

Mr. WEST moved for adoption a resolution to pay necessary expenses for repairing and cleaning School-house No. 5 in Mott-street, recently used by the Board of Health as a Cholera Hospital. The resolution gave rise to a long discussion. Many of the members thought it belonged by right to the Board of Health to refit the School-house, and were opposed to the passage of the resolution, but inasmuch as the resolution contemplated the payment of several poor people for labor performed, the resolution was unanimously adopted, and the subject matter itself was referred to a Special Committee to report.

No other business of importance was disposed of.

COURT CALENDAR....THURSDAY.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.—Nos. 29, 14, 17, 95, [illegible] to 35.

SUPREME COURT—*Special Term.*—Nos. 10, 70, 30, 4, 5, 72 to 77, 128, 78 to 85.

Ordered—The Circuit Calendar for the year will continue to be the Calendar for the year 1855, and will be taken up at the December Circuit which will be near 1150. New Notes of Issue in causes on the Calendar need not be made.

COMMON PLEAS.—Nos. 1361, 1306, 1367, 1374, 1307.

SUPERIOR COURT.—Nos. [illegible].

Saturday is the last day for filing Notes of Issue.

Ordered—That the Calendar of Causes for Trial at the ensuing [illegible] terms of this Court be continued as the Calendar of the next February and March terms, respectively, and be taken up at the commencement of those terms respectively, at the place where the Court leaves off at the close of the terms immediately preceding. Causes not reached for trial at the January term, and such as are, during that term, put off for the term, or called, or passed, may be noticed for the February and March terms; and causes thus put off, called, or passed, during the February term, may be noticed for the first Monday of March. The Clerk will place the causes so noticed for February and March terms, respectively, at the foot of the January Calendar, according to their respective priority. Notes of issue are to be filed in the causes last mentioned; in other causes on the January Calendar, no notes of issue need be filed for the two subsequent terms; but a notice of trial must be served for each term, that the causes may be put on, or continued on the Calendar. *And it is further ordered*, That all notes of issue hereafter, for the General, Special, and Trial Terms of this Court, must be filed with the Clerk, eight days before the commencement of the first day of the succeeding term.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT—Dec. 20.

DECISIONS IN ADMIRALTY.

The following cases were also heard before Judge Ingersoll at the last term, and his decisions recently sent down:

JURISDICTION—CANAL BOAT—DELIVERY OF CARGO.

Giles Hawley vs. The Canal Boat Ann Arbor.—The libel in this case is filed to recover the value of a quantity of butter, shipped on the 5th or 6th of December, 1853, on board the canal boat, then lying in the Erie Canal at Rome, Oneida County, to be carried to the City of New-York and there delivered. It is alleged that 449 tubs of butter were shipped, and only 427 delivered, and that the canal boat is responsible in admiralty for the loss.

The claimants deny that more than 427 were shipped, or that the boat is liable in admiralty if they were lost.

The evidence was given by one witness, that he kept the tally of the tubs as they were shipped, or had it kept; that 449 tubs of butter went on board; that the weight was marked on each tub, and that the weight of all was 30,[illegible] pounds. Evidence was given, however, that some butter was put on board when he was not present, and one of the libelants, in obtaining a clearance at the Collector's Office at Rome, represented the weight to be 46,504 pounds. The captain of the boat, his wife and son, who came with the boat to New-York, all testified that it did not appear to have been disturbed on the voyage, and could not have been without their knowledge, and all that was carried to New-York was safely delivered to the consignees.

Held by the Court, That it is not shown by sufficient proof that those twenty-two tubs were ever put on board, but that all that was put on board was safely delivered.

That it therefore was not necessary to decide the question of jurisdiction, but without having sufficiently considered that question, the impressions of the Court are against the right of the libelants to proceed against the boat. The canal-boat was not built to navigate tide-waters, but the Erie canal, and is not a ship within the definition in Benedict's Admiralty, §215, not being a "locomotive machine."

"When a ship is libeled in an Admiralty Court for the breach of a maritime contract, it is upon the ground that the ship itself contracts—and if such a canal-boat as this, while on the Erie canal up in Oneida County, can enter into and bind itself by a contract so as to come within the control of a Court of Admiralty, I do not see but that any vessel or thing capable of containing freight, built and designed to make headway on the New-York Central Railroad by means of the wheels of the railroad cars, can in the same county enter into and bind itself by a maritime contract and come under the control of a Court of Admiralty, provided it is so constructed that when it arrives at Albany it can be launched from the wheels of the railroad carriage into tide-water, and be towed by a steamboat to New-York."

Libel dismissed with costs.

For libelants, Mr. Tracy; for claimants, Messrs. Kirkland and Bonney.

COLLISION—FAULT OF STEAMBOATS.

William B. Parsons vs. The Steam Propeller Osceola.—This libel was filed by the owners of the schooner John R. Stull, to recover damages for the loss of the schooner, which was sunk by a collision with the Osceola, on the morning of March 28, 1850, in Hellgate.

The schooner was bound from New-York into the Sound, and was about opposite Negro Point. The tide [illegible] of two knots an hour. The wind was from the N. E. but there was not enough to fill the schooner's sails, and her steerage way was only derived from a yawl boat with two men aboard, which towed her at the rate of about half a knot.

The true tide [illegible] Negro Point, and [illegible] Long Island shore; and between Negro Point and Negro Bluff there is an eddy near Ward's Island which runs to the west when the tide is flood; and there are whirls in the true tide by which vessels are sometimes caught out of the true tide into the eddy.

The propeller was bound to New-York and was coming along in the eddy near Ward's Island. The schooner had been in view for some time before the collision. The propeller's course was about W. N. W. heading so as to take the eddy to Negro Point, and there cross the true tide, as is the usual course of steam vessels. She kept on in this course at her usual speed of seven knots an hour through the water, until she came within two or three lengths of the schooner, when she rang her bell to slow, stop and back, and put her helm a-port, but the collision could not then be avoided. She struck the schooner on the larboard bow, and the schooner immediately sunk.

Held by the Court, That on the evidence the schooner was, at the time of the collision, in the true tide.

That if she was not so, but was in the eddy, her being in the eddy resulted from no improper course of navigation or management, and she was not, therefore, in fault if she was in the eddy.

That where a steamer has a sailing vessel in view long enough to avoid her, and there is no fault on the part of the sailing vessel, the steamer is *prima facie* to be held responsible for any accident by collision.

That this *prima facie* responsibility is not disproved by the facts made out in this case; the propeller could have gone on either side of the schooner, as there was nothing in the way, and she could have avoided the collision if she had stopped and backed in time. Those on board of the propeller trusted that the force of the tide would take the schooner out of their way in time, and took no precautions to avoid her in season.

That the collision, therefore, occurred by reason of fault on the part of the propeller, and that there was no fault on the part of the schooner.

Decree for libelants, with a reference to compute the damages.

For libelants, Messrs. Betts and Everts; for claimants, Mr. Cutting and Mr. Leveridge.

Henry Nason et al. vs. The Steam Propeller Osceola.—This suit was brought by the owners of the cargo which was on board of the schooner John R. Stull, and which was also totally lost by the collision. This case was tried with the preceding one, and a like decree accordingly entered in favor of the libelants.

SALVAGE.

The Ocean Steam Navigation Company vs. The Ship Revenue and her Cargo.—The libel was filed in this case to recover a salvage compensation for services rendered to the ship Revenue by the steamship *Washington*, owned by the libelants.

The ship *Revenue*, of 548 tons burden, valued with her cargo at $65,000, sailed from Hampton Roads on the 5th of September, 1853, bound to Australia. When about five days out she encountered a severe gale, which threw the ship on her beam ends, and to right her the crew were compelled to cut away her main and mizzen-mast. She also lost her foretopmast and jibboom, and her rudder, during the gale, which lasted about six hours. After the gale the crew proceeded to get up jury masts and a temporary rudder, which occupied about five days, and the ship then bore away for New-York to be repaired. On the morning of the 26th they had made some 400 miles, and were then about 60 miles from Sandy Hook. The Captain had been sick for several days before. About 9 in the morning of the 28th, they were hailed by the pilot boat *David Mitchell*, and an agreement was made that the pilot boat should tow the ship. She accordingly took hold and towed her until about 5 in the afternoon, when the steamship *Washington* then bound from Bremen to New-York, offered her assistance to the ship, which was accepted. She took hold of the ship about 6 P. M. and the pilot boat then let go.

The wind that night blew from the south and the northwest, blowing heavily in squalls. The *Washington* towed the ship till about 9 P. M., when the hawser parted, and the ship having by this time been towed to anchorage ground, came to anchor. The weather was boisterous through the night, so that the Washington could not take hold of her again that night, but she remained by her, and in the morning took hold of her again with another hawser, and brought her into the afternoon to the City of New-York, having parted the second hawser also in so doing.

The *Washington* was worth $800,000. She was insured for $600,000, and had on board a cargo valued at $500,000, with over 200 passengers, and a ship's company of 104. She was delayed about a day, for which her running expenses are about $800. She was injured by a collision with the ship, while taking her in tow, to the amount of about $200, and it cost between $700 and $800 to replace the two hawsers.

The owners of the *Washington* having filed their libel to recover salvage, the owners of the pilot-boat also came in, claiming salvage, and were made co-libelants.

Held by the Court, That the service rendered by the *Washington* was a meritorious one, and must be paid for as a salvage service; that the Revenue was in a crippled and disabled condition, and would probably have been blown off to sea by the northerly and westerly winds, if it had not been for the assistance of the *Washington*, which rescued her from imminent peril.

That the *Washington* jeopardized her insurance by her deviation, and if her valuable cargo had been lost by the [illegible], the owners would have been liable as common carriers for it; and that she was exposed to some peril herself by her delay.

That six thousand dollars is a reasonable compensation for the services she rendered.

The pilots' claim having been settled before the trial, their libel was dismissed.

Decree for the libelants, therefore, for $6,800, in which sum is included the actual loss and damage sustained by the *Washington*.

For libelants, Messrs. Martin, Strong & Smith; for claimants, Messrs. Beebe, Scoville & Benedict, and Mr. De Forest; for the pilots, Mr. Hamilton.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS—Dec. 19.

Before Hon. Recorder Tillou.

FORGERY IN THE THIRD DEGREE—NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING.

Thomas J. Dowden, a printer by trade, and a very shrewd man by nature, was charged with forgery. It will be recollected by readers of the DAILY TIMES, that Dowden, as was shown on a previous examination, had carried on a successful nefarious profession for many months past. His method of obtaining a living was to call upon tradesmen who advertised in certain City papers and collect the money which they owed *such papers for advertisements*. Among the papers thus defrauded were the *New-York Recorder*, the *Albion*, the *Shipping and Commercial List*, the *Church Journal* and the *American Railroad Journal*. The said Dowden having no authority to collect such moneys.

James W. Autens, of the firm of Autens & Beeran, No. 158 Pearl-street, editors and publishers of the *Shipping and Commercial List* and *New-York Price Current*, deposed that Dowden was never in the employ of the firm and was never authorized to endorse the name of the firm on any instrument.

The prisoner had no counsel, but he defended himself cleverly. His cross-examination of this witness, however, was not material.

James N. McCall was sworn. He was clerk to Blackburn & Brooking, House importers, No. 19 Beaver-street; the accused called at their office, and presented a bill for advertising from the *Shipping and Commercial List*, to the amount of $16 50; they gave him in payment a check on the Union Bank.

Mr. Auten, being called again to the stand, said that the bill-head of their newspaper firm was exclusively used by them, and that the prisoner was not authorized to use it.

Police Officer Tracy arrested Dowden at the St. Louis Hotel, where he was boarding. On searching him, $121, a gold watch and chain, and a pencil-case, were found on his person. In his trunk were found a large quantity of bill-heads of the *Shipping and Commercial List*.

The prisoner objected to this testimony on the ground that it was irrelevant. There was nothing found in the trunk that bore on the check.

A long debate here ensued between the prisoner and the Assistant District Attorney, whether the bill heads found in the prisoner's trunk could be used in evidence. Court decided against the prisoner. The witness then produced a bundle of papers, among which was a list of advertisers in several City papers. Prisoner acknowledged to witness that he had done wrong. Prisoner was the person the Police had been looking after for many months previous.

Isaac B. Wellington, of the firm of Wellington & Abbot, No. 47 Water-street, deposed that the prisoner presented to him a bill for advertising in the *Shipping and Commercial List*; he paid the amount, namely, $22; it was proved that the prisoner had no authority from the proprietors to collect the money.

The prisoner made an eloquent appeal to the Jury. He admitted that he had done wrong—that he had been led into evil courses. Some months since he came to New-York with a few hundred dollars which he had made in his trade. *He lost a good situation because he had lost his eyesight.* When he came to this City he intended to get into business or to go to California. In an unfortunate hour he was led to a gambling house in this City—not a rifle-shot from the Court in which he was being tried. He lost his sight in rescuing two children from a fire in Philadelphia. He had been in the Mexican war, had been shot through the body, and still had a pistol-bullet in his head. He knew he had sinned, and was ashamed of the situation in which he stood. He threw himself upon the mercy of the Jury.

The Recorder, in charging the Jury, referred to the evident capacity of the accused. He was clearly a man of high education, fine talent and great development of mind. Very seldom was such a person brought before a criminal Court. But his offence belonged to a class of crime which required education and talent. The ignorant do not commit such crimes, unless they are the tools of more accomplished men.

The very interesting appeal of the prisoner evidently had its effect upon the Jury. They were absent nearly two hours, and then came into Court with an announcement that they could not agree. The prisoner will probably be tried upon another indictment, as no less than three are now recorded against him on the Calendar.

CHARGE OF MANSLAUGHTER AGAINST AN IRISHMAN.

Patrick Callahan, an Irishman, was charged with killing, on November 7, George W. Barrett.

Ann Barrett, mother of deceased, deposed that her son left the house, No. 78 [illegible], about 10 o'clock in the evening. About 11 o'clock he was brought home by some men; he never stirred hand or foot afterwards; he died at 5 o'clock in the morning. He did not speak. There were two large cuts in his forehead.

Felix Conolly, a very decided young Irishman, deposed that he was bartender in the small grocery and drinking-store, No. 68 [illegible]-street. On the night of last election day, Pat. Callahan and a few of his friends came in to have a drink. They had a drink; then Mr. Barrett came in; he had a drink, and took half a pint of brandy in a bottle; then he said he would have another drink, and asked all hands to drink. He was satisfied that the election had gone off quietly; the other boys got drinks around in their turn, and then Callahan and they went; [illegible] drink with him; [illegible] and they did not refuse. Then, without any reason why or wherefore, Barrett caught up a glass and fired it at Callahan; then he took up two glasses, and fired them; witness could not say whether they struck Callahan or not,—thinks one of them hit him on the cheek; I asked him (prosecuted witness) what he was trying to do; he said he would soon let me know; he took up another glass to fire at me; I asked him if he was crazy or what; Callahan got up, and "he hit something about the face." Witness thought to his [illegible] caught hold of Patrick. They had a further [illegible], and [illegible] Callahan hit Barrett with a pint beer mug; think he hit him on the forehead; he went round and told Callahan to keep steady; Callahan "took the advice and done nothing afterwards"; I did not see Barrett fall; I took him outside, and left him against the wall of the house, in Duane-street; "best of my opinion, it was after 10 o'clock";—"I knowed Barrett—he came once or twice to our place; he was five feet four, a pretty tall man; the beer mug held Philadelphia Porter in it."

Witness could not say whether the cup thrown by Callahan was a tin cup; he called it a tin cup.

Assistant District Attorney—Was it pewter?

Witness—By jabers, I called it tin.

Recorder—Never mind what you called it, was it lead, or was it tin?

Witness—I always called it tin.

Assistant District Attorney—Was it like a tin pan?

Witness—Oh, it might be a compound.

The Recorder showed the witness the judicial inkstand, and asked him if the cup which killed Barrett resembled it. Witness replied that it was as bright as that, but might have been anything else; it was fired in a hurry and there wasn't any time lost; when I raised Barrett I got my hands under his arms; I dragged him, but somebody helped me; he couldn't use his feet; "I didn't see anybody speak nothing all the time." Barrett had no animation; I knew he was drunk; he didn't appear to be dead; "*he was insensible—he had no sense, or he wouldn't have gone to work and thrown glasses*"; I drank beer that day and some milk; there was no beer in the milk; there might have been something else; I cannot answer for milk.

Richard Lewis, an Irishman, deposed that he works at Hoe's foundry; he was at the bar-room on the occasion referred to, in company with Pat. Callahan; they had a drink and then another drink; and then Barrett came in and they had a third drink; then Felix Farlan talked with Patrick Farlan, and Pat. Callahan came up and spoke; they then had drinks, and then they had more drinks, and then Callahan said they would have another drink; Callahan was across the room talking to a "gentleman," when Barrett threw the glass at him; then Callahan "backed inside the counter," and threw the pint pot at Barrett; *it was a pint measure by the color of it*; witness did not see what was done with Barrett when he was taken out.

Police Officer Thorn assisted to take deceased home; he obtained two mugs from the bar-keeper, one of which was thrown at deceased; they were thick pewter; he saw the deceased examined by Doctor; there was a bad wound on his forehead, such as would be produced by a pewter mug.

The Court adjourned the case at this stage. The trial to be resumed yesterday.

THE CASE OF PLINY WHITE.

After the foregoing proceedings Mr. Pliny White, whose gold dust transaction made so much noise several months ago, appeared, with James B. Whiting, his counsel, before the Recorder. It will be recollected that White established an agency to buy gold dust from returned Californians, and induced Messrs. Wm. A. Hawkins, alias Mr. French, a [illegible] in Ann-street, into loaning him money for that purpose. Failing to satisfy these gentlemen for their advances, he fled to Europe in the *Arctic*, where he was followed by Mr. French. A short time since, having heard that a civil suit had been instituted against him, he returned to this City, where he was arrested by Officer Spicer. He came into Court on Tuesday, for the Court to set the bail, the case not having been taken previously before a magistrate. Mr. Whiting argued that bail to the amount of $500 would be sufficient, as bail had already been provided for the civil suit. A long debate ensued between the counsel and the Assistant District Attorney. The Recorder decided that the bail must stand equal to the amount of money charged in the indictment to have been defrauded—$10,500, with liberty for defence to move to quash the indictment.

YESTERDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

The case of Patrick Callahan, for manslaughter, was continued yesterday. Dr. Lodge was first examined. He was called in to attend Barrett on the night of Nov. 7. He was lying on the floor in a state of stupor. His symptoms were those of injury of the brain. There were marks of contusion. He had stertorous breathing, which proved that the brain was injured. Such injury, in the opinion of the witness, was the cause of death. On the *post mortem* examination, between the dura mater and the pia mater, a large collection of extravasated blood was found. There was no fracture of the skull.

Felix Farlan, examined by Mr. Fullerton, who appeared for the defence: Was present at the groggery on the night of the alleged manslaughter; saw Callahan, Patrick Farlan and Barrett there; saw the glasses thrown. There was no quarrel between Barrett and Callahan before the glasses were thrown; Callahan had only three steps to take to reach the mug; it was all done in a minute.

Another witness stated that he saw Connelly, the barkeeper, kick deceased while he was lying outside the house in a passage-way; he could not tell whether he kicked him on the head or shoulder; he had no room to draw his foot back to give force to the blow.

Cross-examined by Assistant District Attorney.—Connelly was not standing near the head of the deceased, but near his feet.

Patrick Fitzsimmons testified that he had conversed with Richard Lewis; the latter had told him that he saw the barkeeper, Connelly, kick deceased in the head.

Henry Crawford had been told by Richard Lewis that the barkeeper pulled deceased into the street and kicked him on the head.

Several witnesses to character were called by Mr. Fullerton.

In addressing the Jury, Mr. Fullerton argued that there was no evidence to show that the wounds received by the deceased were given inside the building. But, on the contrary, evidence had been produced to show that deceased had been kicked and otherwise injured outside.

The Jury could not agree in their verdict. There were some Irishmen on the Jury.

ASSAULT—CHEWING A MAN'S THUMB.

James Sullivan, an Irishman, was charged with an assault on Cornelius Hartledy, an Irishman, on the 20th Oct. Sullivan assaulted Hartledy in Montgomery-street. They had a quarrel about an Irish trell which was cooked on the previous night. Hartledy bit Sullivan's finger and Sullivan chewed Hartledy's thumb. They clinched and fit. The witness was exceedingly unintelligible and stupid; moreover, his brogue was awful. The District Attorney, in consideration of his ignorance and blunders, withdrew the charge, and the accused was immediately released.

CHARLES A. PEVERELLY TO BE SENTENCED.

To-day, Charles A. Peverelly, convicted of an attempt at arson, at the last term, will be sentenced by Judge Beebe.

LONG ISLAND.

City Judge of Brooklyn—Declination of Mr. Johnson.

To the Electors of the Consolidated City of Brooklyn:

Having received from the Board of City Canvassers a certificate of my election to the office of City Judge, it is due to you that I state the reasons why I have permitted the ten days allowed by law to elapse without taking the official oath.

The statement of votes cast for that office is as follows: For ERASTUS D. CULVER, 10,[illegible]; for SAMUEL E. JOHNSON, 10,[illegible]—other votes for JOHNSON (informal), 56, making the number of votes that could possibly be intended for me 10,514.

Others for CULVER, by initials, and that possibly were intended for ERASTUS D. CULVER, 650, which, added to his vote, as above stated, would make 10,573, leaving me in a minority of 59.

For this large vote for me, exceeding the average on the city ticket by about a thousand, I take this occasion to sincerely thank my friends.

That the Board of City Canvassers correctly followed precedent in awarding to me the certificate of election cannot be disputed. It is sufficient to refer to the instance in this County, of ROCKWELL, to whom was given the certificate of County Judge—to the *uniform* practice of the State Canvassers, and particularly in the recent canvass for Governor where votes *for H. SEYMOUR were not allowed for* HORATIO SEYMOUR.

The City Canvassers having thus discharged their duty, *it is my privilege to retain or reject* the office, under the certificate thus given.

Were the office a political one, with patronage in its gift, I should be under obligations to consult the feelings and interests of others. *As it is not*, I feel at liberty to consult my own.

In taking upon myself the discharge of the heavy and responsible duties of the City Judgeship of the third city in size in the Union, I should need and require the utmost good feelings and cooperation of the whole public and the Bar. My short comings and mistakes I should wish viewed with a lenient eye. This, if I took the office under a cloud as to my title to it, I should not have a right to expect.

The discharge of the onerous duties of an office, (too numerous and great for any one man to perform, however well supported by public opinion,) under such circumstances, could not be attended with pleasure.

Again, the fountain whence justice flows should be pure at its source. If a man, unjustly in the opinion of any considerable portion of the community, holds a judicial seat, how can that portion have confidence in him or his decisions?

I do not choose to hold a Judgeship under any such doubtful tenure.

I therefore leave the office vacant.

Respectfully, your fellow-citizen,
SAMUEL E. JOHNSON.

MARKET REPORTS.

Weekly Review of the Dry Goods Trade.

New-York, Wednesday, Dec. 20—6 P. M.

We have at length reached what may be considered the last business week of the season, and of the year. It has been an extremely dull one, but this had been anticipated, and it occasions no surprise. The severe pressure in the Money market, the general embarrassment pervading every branch of trade, the very cold weather, and the proximity of the Holiday season have united to extinguish any little symptom of life remaining in the traffic. The first two of these circumstances are not apt to disappear for some time to come; therefore their influence will be the more lasting; and, though it may cause much distress, we think that it cannot but produce some very good results. Its first beneficial effect will appear in the increasing prudence and frugality of some of the [illegible] with [illegible] trouble and distress. Another desirable consequence will become apparent in the limited number of new establishments which the New Year and the Spring season will give birth to. These and other obvious results cannot but prove satisfactory to all sound dealers, and serviceable to trade at large.

Brown and bleached Sheetings and Shirtings are very quiet and altogether nominal in price. Cotton Flannels are in pretty good request at steady rates. Denims and Drills are inactive and languid. Duck is in moderate supply and demand at previous figures. Old Ginghams remain dull and heavy. Fresh styles come forward slowly and are offered at no fixed price, as yet. Lawns and Nankins are unaltered. Osnaburgs are in limited request and favor buyers. Printing Cloths are depressed, and though quoted a trifle cheaper, find few purchasers. Prints remain as last noticed. Stripes are rather scarce and firm; but quiet. Ticks are inactive and nominal in value.

Woolens are exceedingly heavy, and evince, if anything, a downward tendency. Blankets have not varied. Some seasonable styles of Cassimeres have found buyers, at, however, very low rates. Small sales of desirable Cloths have transpired at old prices. Flannels, Jeans, and Linseys are without essential variation. Mouslin de Laines are quiet and somewhat nominal. There has been rather more doing in Satinets, worth from 30c.@ 35c. ₱ yard. Northern dealers took some Sheep's Grays, but at very poor prices. Tweeds are unchanged.

Foreign Goods are selling very slowly at irregular quotations. The Spring trade monopolizes the attention of our principal merchants. It is not calculated that it will prove a comparatively active or very lucrative season; but if preparations (as we have several reasons to believe they will) be kept within due limits, a solid and stable foundation for a subsequent vigorous and prosperous business may be established. Such a result is about all that the most sanguine can reasonably expect; and should it be realized—as we trust it may—but few intelligent operators will be dissatisfied therewith.

Markets.... Carefully Reported for the N. Y. Daily Times.

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 20—6 P. M.

ASHES—The market continues pretty nearly bare and inactive at $7 25 for Pearls and $6 50 for Pots, ₱ 100 lbs.

BEESWAX—American yellow is moderately inquired for at 28c. ₱ lb.

BRICKS—North River hard are less freely offered, and are now worth from $4 75@$5 cash, ₱ M.; but are not in active demand at those rates.

BOOTS AND SHOES—There is not sufficient doing in this line to justify an extended notice. Stocks are moderate, but [illegible]; and prices are nominally the same.

CANDLES—There is a fair business being transacted at 14c.@15c. for Mould Tallow; 25c.@28c. for Adamantine; 30c.@38c. for plain Sperm; and 38c.@40c. for patent do. ₱ lb. The supply is moderate.

COAL—Foreign is generally dull and heavy at old quotations. The stock is increasing. Anthracite is in pretty good request at $7@$7 50 ₱ ton of 2,000 lbs., delivered from vessel and yard. We understand that there were sold, to-day, 4,000 tons Cumberland at $6 25@ $7 50 ₱ ton.

COCOA—The market is quiet but steady at 17c. for Maracaibo; 8½c. for Guayaquil, and 8½c. for St. Domingo, all in bond; with 7½c.@7½c. for Para, ₱ lb.

COFFEE—Rio is the only description that is attracting much attention, and the sales of this, for this day, add up 1,600 bags at 9c.@10½c. ₱ lb. Other kinds are quiet at somewhat nominal.

COPPER—We notice less movement in this line at 30c. for new Sheathing; 23c.@25c. for Yellow Metal; and 18c.@20c. for old Sheathing, ₱ lb. Chili Pig is held at 25c.@26c. ₱ lb.

COTTON—With a light stock (embracing about 20,000 bales on hand and on shipboard) and a moderate inquiry for home use and export, prices are pretty well supported. This day's sales reach 2,000 bales. We quote:

NEW-YORK CLASSIFICATION.

	Upland.	Florida.	Mobile.	New-Orl's and Texas.
Ordinary	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	7½
Middling	7¾	8	8¼	8½
Middling Fair	8½	8½	8¾	9
Fair	8¾	9½	9½	10

FEATHERS—Prime Live Geese are less sought after and are now procurable at 38c.@42c. for Southern, and 40c.@45c. for Western, cash, ₱ lb.

FIRE CRACKERS—Are not in much request, and are somewhat nominal in price. The last sale of Canton, 40 packs, was effected at $1 20 ₱ box, usual credit.

FISH—Have not varied much. The supplies are moderate, and the demand is similar. Dry Cod are selling in small parcels at $3@$3 37½ ₱ cwt. Pickled Cod rule quiet, at $4 ₱ barrel. Large Mackerel continue in limited request, at $16@$18 for No. 1, $15@$15½ for No. 2, and $11@$11½ for No. 3, ₱ barrel. Small Mackerel and Pickled Salmon are inactive and nominal. Pickled Herring retail at $3 50@$4 50 ₱ barrel. There is a little more doing in Smoked Herring, at 42½c.@45c. for scaled, and 30c. for No. 1, ₱ box.

FLAX—American is sparingly offered, and is altogether nominal in price, there being nothing of any consequence doing in it.

FLOUR AND MEAL—State and Western brands are firmer. The receipts are very light and the stock on hand is decreasing. The Eastern and local demand is fair, and shippers are more disposed to operate. These circumstances tend to strengthen prices which derive additional firmness and buoyancy from the influence of the present very severe weather. The day's sales comprise 6,000 bbls. We quote:

Superfine No. 2	$7 62½@$8 12½
Ordinary State	8 25 @ 8 37½
Straight State	8 37½@ 8 50
Favorite State	8 50 @ 8 62½
Mixed Western	8 75 @ 8 87½
Common to Good Indiana and Michigan	8 87½@ 9 25
Fancy Michigan	9 25 @ 9 37½
Common to Good Ohio	8 87½@ 9 25
Fancy Ohio	9 25 @ 9 37½
Extra Ohio	9 50 @10 75
Extra Indiana and Michigan	9 37½@10 50
Fancy Genesee	9 25 @ 9 75
Extra Genesee	10 75 @ 11 75

Superfine Canadian is pretty active and steady. The day's sales add up 1,800 bbls. at $9, in bond, and $9 75 @$10, free, ₱ bbl. Southern is less abundant, and in improving request, at rising rates. The day's sales reach 2,300 bbls., at $8 50@$8 75 for inferior; $8 75@ $9 50 for Mixed to Good Straight and Favorite, with $9 75@$10 75 for Fancy and Extra, ₱ bbl. Buckwheat Flour is rather brisker, at $4 75@$5 ₱ 100 lbs., and $4 75@$5 25 ₱ bbl. Rye Flour is selling more freely, at $6 75 for Fine, and $7 50 for Superfine, ₱ bbl. Corn Meal is dull and heavy. The day's sales include 270 bbls., at $4 25@$4 31¼ for Jersey and $4 62½ for Brandywine, ₱ bbl.

FRUIT—This branch of business is pretty active for the season. Sales were made to-day of 250 boxes of layer Raisins, at $3; 1,600 boxes bunch do., at $2 90@ $2 87½ for wet, dried, and $2 72½@$2 75 for dry; 400 half boxes do. do., at $1 37½@$1 40; 500 quarter boxes do. do., at 70c.@72½c., cash; 50 casks seedless do., at $8 50; some Havana and Matanzas Oranges, at $7@ $7 50 ₱ bbl.; Malaga Lemons, at $2@$2 25 ₱ box; 25 cases Sardines, at 60c.@62½c.; 10 cases Citron, at 24c.@ 24½c.; 15 bbls. prime Currants, at 24c.@25c.; Languedoc Almonds, at 15c.; dried Plums, at 14c.@14½c.; do. and pealed Peaches, at 12c.@13½c.; unpealed do., at 5c.@6c.; dried Apples, at 5½c.@6c. ₱ lb., and common to good Western Apples, at $2 75@$3 50, ₱ bbl.

GRAIN—Wheat is still quite rare and promising to be so for some time to come; holders ask prices much above the limits of purchasers, which effectually impede transactions. For prime White Genesee, owners claim $2 60 and upwards, ₱ bushel. Sales were made today of only 2,600 bushels inferior Michigan White, at $2 32; and small lots of Long Island Red at $1 75@ $1 80, ₱ bushel. Rye continues scarce and quiet. Northern is stiffly held at $1 35. Small parcels Jersey bring $1 40 ₱ bushel. Barley is still inactive and nominal in value. There is rather more doing in Oats, which are less abundant, and rule very firm, at 58c.@60c. for Western, 58c.@60c. for State, 50c.@55c. for Jersey, and 45c.@50c. for Southern, ₱ bushel. Corn is not plenty, while it is in good request for the home trade and for export, at still better prices. The day's sales amount to 36,000 bushels, at 95c.@97½c. for Western mixed, and delivered; 97c.@98c. for Southern White and Yellow; and 95c.@97 for Round Yellow, ₱ bushel. White Beans are selling in lots, chiefly at $1 62½@$1 75 ₱ bushel. Blackeyed and Canadian Peas are quiet, at old rates.

GUANO—Peruvian is the most in demand, and for this the following is the scale of prices ₱ ton:

5 tons	$53	Over 20 tons	$52
10 tons	$57	50 tons	$50
20 tons	$55	6 months' time.	

HAY—River is less abundant and is in moderate request at $1@$1 6¼ for shipment, and $1 12½@$1 25 for [illegible].

HEMP—The market for all descriptions is very quiet, but as the stocks here are not over large and are not very freely offered, prices are unchanged.

HIDES—Notwithstanding the increased receipts and the prevalence of but a very moderate demand, holders [illegible]. There are now about 60,000 of all kinds in first hands.

HOPS—The demand, both for home use and for export [illegible].

IRON—The market is still quite dull and heavy, and, excepting some retail movements in Scotch Pig, at $33 @$35, usual credit, ₱ ton, we have no sales of any description to report.

LATHS—Eastern are in fair supply and limited request, at $1 51@$1 37½, cash, ₱ thousand.

LEAD—Remains dull and heavy, at $5 50 for Spanish, $6 [illegible] for ordinary English; $6 62½@$6 75 for refined German, and $6 50 for Galena, cash, ₱ lb.

LEATHER—Domestic tanned Sole is moderately active and steady. There is less of it arriving. Other kinds are without essential variation.

LIME—Rockland is inactive and languid, at 85c. for Common, and $1 10@$1 12½ for Lump, ₱ bbl.

LUMBER—Considering the general dullness in business, the pressure in money matters and the severity of the weather, there is a fair degree of activity in this line. Builders are not, however, the heaviest buyers. The export inquiry is tolerably active. The yards are all well supplied, but holders are firm and prices are unchanged. We quote:

WHOLESALE PRICES.

Timber, White Pine, ₱ cubic ft.	— 20	@— 24
Timber, Oak	— 25	@— 30
Timber, Grand Island, W. O.	— 35	@— 40
Timber, Georgia Yellow Pine (by cargo)	— 30	@— 34

YARD SELLING PRICES.

Timber, Oak Scantling, ₱ M. ft.	30 —	@40 —
Timber, or Beams, Eastern	16 75	@20 —
Plank, Georgia Pine, Worked	35 —	@40 —
Plank, Georgia Pine, Unworked	30 —	@35 —
Plank and Boards, N. R. Clear	37 50	@40 —
Plank and Boards, N. R. 2d qual.	30 —	@35 —
Plank and Boards, N. R. selected	28 50	@28 —
Boards, North River, box	17 50	@20 —
Boards, Albany Pine, ₱ piece	— 16	@— 25
Boards, City Worked	— 25	@— 28
Boards, City Worked, (both sides,) narrow, clear ceiling	— 20	@— 22
Plank, City Worked, (both sides,) narrow, clear partition	— 22	@— 25
Plank, Albany Pine	— 21	@— 30
Plank, City Worked	— 24	@— 30
Plank, Albany Spruce	— 16	@— 20
Plank, Spruce, City Worked	— 20	@— 24
Shingles, Pine, sawed, ₱ bunch	2 50	@ 3 00
Shingles, Pine, split and shaved	3 75	@ 3 25
Shingles, Cedar, 3 ft. 1st quality ₱ M.	34 —	@38 —
Shingles, Cedar, 3 ft. 2d quality	28 —	@30 —
Shingles, Cedar, 2 ft. 1st and 2d quality	17 —	@21 —
Shingles, Company, 3 ft.	28 —	@30 —
Shingles, Cypress, 2 and 3 ft.	16 —	@20 —
Joists, Hemlock, each	— —	@— 12½
Wall Strips	— —	@— 10
Staves, White Oak, Pipe, Light	73 —	@— —
Staves, White Oak, Pipe, Heavy	90 —	@— —
Staves, White Oak Hhd.	60 —	@— —
Staves, White Oak Bbl.	42 —	@— —
Staves, Red Oak Hhd.	45 —	@— —
Heading, White Oak	73 —	@— —

MOLASSES—Is very quiet, and prices of Old Cuba and New-Orleans are entirely nominal. New crop New-Orleans is worth from 26c.@28c. ₱ gallon.

NAILS—Cut are salable and firm at 4½c., cash, and 6 months' credit, according to quality, ₱ lb. Wrought are unchanged.

NAVAL STORES—Crude Turpentine is scarce and quiet at $4 25@$4 37½ ₱ 280 lbs. Spirits Turpentine is dull and heavy, with small sales at 47c.@48c., cash, ₱ gallon. Tar is still unsettled. Some demand exists for common Rosin at $1 55@$1 87½, ₱ bbl., delivered, and for City Pitch at $2 75 ₱ bbl.

OIL CAKE—City thin Oblong is rather scarce, and is stiffly held, at $44@$45 ₱ ton. Nothing doing in Country.

OILS—The quotations given in our last for Whale and Sperm are still adhered to by owners; but we can learn of no important transactions at such rates. Olive is quiet, at $1 12½@$1 15 ₱ gallon, and $3 25@$3 37½ ₱ basket. Red and Palm Oils are unchanged. Linseed is moderately dealt in, at 90c.@92c. ₱ gallon. There exists a little better demand for Lard Oil, at 80c.@85c. ₱ gallon.

NEW-BEDFORD OIL MARKET—[For the week ending Dec. 18]—*The transactions in Oils in this market have been limited the past week. In Sperm, we hear of no sales whatever. Holders still remain firm, at $1 75. In Whale there is considerable inquiry, but purchasers do not quite come up to the views of holders.* The only sale for the week coming to our knowledge, are about 100 bbls., at 68c., and 300 do. ground tier, at a price not transpired. Imports of Sperm and Whale Oil and Whalebone into the United States, for the week ending Dec. 18: 1,380 bbls. of Sperm Oil. Previously, 71,150 bbls. Sperm, 213,803 do. Whale, 2,434,877 lbs. Bone. From Jan. 1 to date, 72,357 bbls. Sperm, 213,803 bbls. Whale, 2,434,877 lbs. Bone. Same time last year 79,[illegible] bbls. Sperm, 256,[illegible] bbls. Whale, 5,[illegible] lbs. Bone.

PLASTER—Nova Scotia Blue and White is selling, in lots, at $[illegible]@$3 50, ₱ ton, afloat and delivered.

POTATOES—The demand is still active, and with a smaller amount and poorer assortment offering, prices rule very firm. We quote ordinary Common, $3 75@ $3 ₱ bbl., and prime Carter and Mercer, $3 25@$3 50; a cargo of Nova Scotia Mercers is held at $3 [illegible].

PROVISIONS—Pork is rather brisker, but not firmer. The day's sales reach 1,800 bbls. at $12 75 for Mess, here and to arrive during the remainder of this month; and $12 25 for Prime, ₱ bbl. Dressed Hogs find ready buyers among packers at 6c.@6¼c. ₱ lb. Cutmeats are quiet at previous quotations. The day's sales include 50 pkgs. pickled Shoulders at 5½c.@6c.; and Hams at 8c.@8½c. ₱ lb. Middle Bacon is rather scarce and is quiet at 8½c. @9c. ₱ lb. Lard is in moderate request at former prices; the sales embracing 300 bbls. fair to prime at 10c.@10¼c.; and 125 kegs good to prime at 10½c.@10¾c. ₱ lb. Beef is coming forward more freely, but, though it is not actively inquired for, it rules steady. The day's sales embrace 500 bbls. at $7@$7 for Country Prime; $9 50@$11 50 for do. Mess, $14@$15 50 for repacked Chicago do.; and $15@ $16 for extra do., ₱ bbl. Prime Mess Beef is inactive at $21@$27 50 ₱ tierce. Beef Hams range from $12 50@ $16 ₱ bbl., but are in slack demand. Butter is in steady request at 15c.@27c. for Ohio, 16c.@24c. for Western New-York, and 24c.@28c. for Orange County, ₱ lb. Cheese is selling pretty freely at 10c.@11½c. ₱ lb.

RICE—Is dull and heavy, at prices ranging from $3 75@$4 75 for common to prime, ₱ 100 lbs.

SALT—The market is generally well stocked; but the demand is rather limited, and prices are without material variation.

SEEDS—Continue dull and heavy, at 10c.@11c. for Clover, ₱ lb., $1 80 for American Rough Flax, and $2 for Calcutta Linseed, ₱ bushel. Timothy has not varied.

SOAP—There were 50 boxes Castile taken at 11c. ₱ lb.

SPELTER—Remains quiet and nominal, at $5 31¼@ $5 37½ for Plates ₱ 100 lbs.

SPICES—Appear about the same as usual,—with sales of small lots of Nutmegs at 90c.@91c.; Mace, at 87c.; 1,000 mats Cassia, at 27c.; Cloves, at 15c.@15½c.; Jamaica Pimento, at 12½c.@13c. and 300 bags Pepper, at 11c. ₱ lb.

STEARINE—Prime White is not plenty, while it is salable and firm, at 11c., cash, ₱ lb.

SUGARS—Are quiet at old prices. The day's sales have been confined to 125 hhds. New-Orleans, at 4½c.@ 5½c. ₱ lb.

TALLOW—There were 10,000 lbs. Prime Slaughtered at 12½c.@12¾c. ₱ lb.

TEAS—Are quiet, but otherwise unchanged in price. Another auction sale occurred to-day, the details of which we append:

By HAGGERTY, JONES & Co., per late arrivals—*Hyson*—28 hf. chests at 30c. ₱ lb.; 30 do. 37½c.; 27 do. 37c. *Young Hyson*—71 ca. 58c.; 38 hf. chests 49c.; 90 do. 40c.; 43 do. 36½c.; 254 do. 36c.; 58 do. 35c.; 89 do. 30½c.; 386 do. 29c.; 25 do. 27c.; 200 do. 20½c. *Hyson Twankay*—132 hf. chts. 25½c.; 18 do. 17c. *Twankay*—122 hf. chts. 21½c.; 72 do. 20c. *Hyson Skin*—40 hf. chts. 14c. *Imperial*—30 hf. chts. 40c.; 10 do. 35c.; 15 do. 28c. *Gunpowder*—10 ca. 36½c.; 19 hf. chts. 38c.; 15 do. 35½c.; 61 do. 29c. *Oolong*—7 hf. chts. at 35½c.; 100 do. 28c.; 144 do. 27½c.; 140 do. 27c.; 70 do. 26½c.; 1,388 do. 26c.; 868 do. 25½c. *Breakfast Souchong*—30 chts. at 20c.; 10 do. 18½c.; 105 do. 19c.; 91 do. 18½c.

TOBACCO—Rules dull and heavy, with small sales of Kentucky Leaf, at 7c.@8½c., and manufactured kinds within the annexed range:

No. 1, 5's and 8's	16 @20
Medium, 5's and 8's	12 @15
Common, 5's and 8's	8 @10
Common, 16's	7 @10
Medium, 16's	10 @15
Twist, in kegs, medium, No. 1	16 @20
Twist, in kegs, common	12 @15
Pounds, extra fine	25 @40
Pounds, No. 1	16 @22
Pounds, medium	14 @16
Pounds, common	8 @10
Pounds, 32's	18 @21
Ladies' Twist	17 @21

WHALEBONE—The market for this article is extremely quiet, and prices are altogether nominal.

WHISKY—The day's sales have been confined to 250 bbls. Ohio and Prison, at 30c.@30½c., cash, ₱ gallon,—showing a depressed market.

WOOL—Since Thursday's public sale, more activity and firmness has been apparent in American, the sales of which comprise 135,000 lbs. fleece, and 75,000 lbs. pulled, within our range. Foreign is very dull and languid. We quote domestic, thus:

American, Saxony Fleece, ₱ lb.	35 @40
American, Full Blood Merino	34 @37
American, ½ and ¾ Merino	30 @33
American, native and ¼ Merino	25 @30
Extra, Pulled	32 @35
Superfine, Pulled	28 @30
No. 1, Pulled	22 @24

FREIGHTS—Favored shippers. For Liverpool, there were engaged a few small lots of Corn at 8½d. in bulk, ₱ bushel; 400 pkgs. Bacon at 15s. ₱ ton; 600 tcs. Beef at 3s. 6d.; 600 bales Cotton 5-32d. ₱ lb.; 500 bales Hops ½d. ₱ lb.; 500 bbls. Pork at 3s.; and 800 bbls. Rosin at 1s. 6d. For Glasgow, there were taken 500 bbls. Flour at 2s.; and for London, 500 bbls. do. at 3s. For Bremen, there were shipped 100 bales Cotton at ¾c.; and 50 tons Lard at ¾d. ₱ lb. For other ports there was nothing new reported. A ship from Calcutta to London, £4 15s.; one of 800 tons to Marseilles and one other port and back, $7,000; one of 600 tons to Marseilles, Sicily and back, $7,500; a bark (2,800 bbls.) to Point Petre, Guad., $1,000 out; one to Brest, Pork, $1 ₱ bbl.; a brig hence to south side St. Domingo and back, $4; one from Boston to south side Cuba and back to New-York, Molasses, $3; one of 287 tons to Cienfuegos and back, all out, $2,900; one of 150 tons, from St. Mary's, Geo., to Trinidad, Port Spain, Lumber, $16, and if to Demerara, $11; a schooner from Jacksonville to Porto Rico, Lumber, $9 50; one from Grand Caillou, La., to New-York, Sugar and Molasses, $7; three barks to south side Cuba and back, and ship Moravia, hence to California and ports in the Pacific and Indian Ocean, a two years' voyage, on terms not transpired.

GAS FIXTURES AND LAMPS.—GAS FIXTURES of Foreign and Domestic; SOLAR LAMPS, LANTERNS, GIRANDOLES, MANTEL ORNAMENTS, FLUID and CAMPHENE LAMPS, of the newest patterns. Also, WICKS, SHADES, &c., for sale on favorable terms for cash, by THOMAS F. PHILLIPS, No. 129 William-st.

AUCTION SALES.

TUNIS MORRELL, Auctioneer.

THIS DAY, 11 O'CLOCK. BY TUNIS MORRELL. SILVER-PLATED WARE, French china, papier maché goods, Paris goods and bronze, cut glass ware, superior mantel clocks, melodeons, suites of rosewood furniture, covered with brocatelle, oil paintings and mirrors, with gilded frames; oil lamps, brocatelle and black walnut library bookcases, cottage tables, dressing bureaus and washstands, marble top, sets of rosewood chairs for toilet, table, or [illegible]. This sale cannot fail to give purchasers satisfaction, as the quality, &c., is superior, and the subscriber in coming before the public as an Auctioneer, will have their confidence.

N. B.—Pianos, &c. at 12 o'clock.

TUNIS MORRELL, No. 340 Broadway.

ALBERT H. NICHOLAY, Auctioneer.

STOCKS AND BONDS AT AUCTION.—REGULAR SALE.—ALBERT H. NICHOLAY, will sell THIS DAY, Dec. 21, at 12½ o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange, for account of whom it may concern:

$3,000 Sandusky, Mansfield and Newark Railroad 1st Mortgage 7 per cent. Bonds, dated 1st March, 1854, and redeemable 1st March, 1874; Interest Coupons payable at the office of the Ohio Life Insurance and Trust Company in New-York 1st March and 1st September, $1,000 each.

$5,000 Green Bay, Milwaukee and Chicago, (known as the Milwaukee and Chicago,) Railroad Co. 10 per cent. 1st Mortgage Bonds, maturing in 1862; Interest Coupons payable semi-annually, in April and October, at Broadway Bank, N. Y.

$10,000 New-York and Harlem Railroad 1st Mortgage 7 per cent. Bonds, dated May 1, 1853, and redeemable May 1, 1873; Interest payable May 1 and Nov. 1, $1,000 each.

$2,000 Galena and Chicago Union Railroad 1st Mortgage 7 per cent. Bonds, dated 1st August, 1852, and due 1st August, 1882; interest payable at the American Exchange Bank, 1st February and 1st August. $1,000 each.

$5,000 town of Beloit, (Wisconsin,) 7 per cent. Convertible Bonds, dated May 1, 1853, and maturing Feb. 28, 1873, (issued by the town of Beloit to the Racine, Janesville and Mississippi Railroad Co.;) interest payable annually, at the office of [illegible], New-York. $1,000 each.

$6,000 Mansfield and Sandusky City Railroad 1st Mortgage 7 per cent. Bonds, dated July 1, 1850, and maturing 1st July, 1860; Interest payable semi-annually, at the office in New-York, 1st January and 1st July. $1,000 each.

The above Bonds are secured by a First Mortgage from Sandusky City to Mansfield, on all wharf property, warehouses, &c. &c., and executed to Harry Grinnell, Theodore Dehon and Oliver Hale, Jr., Trustees.

$9,000 La Crosse and Milwaukee Railroad 8 per cent. Bonds, with farm Mortgages as collateral attached, as follows:

1 in County of Columbia, Wisconsin	$2,000
1 in County of Dodge, Wisconsin	$1,200
1 in County of Dodge, Wisconsin	$800
1 in County of Dodge, Wisconsin	$500
1 in County of Dodge, Wisconsin	$500

All the above are dated Jan. 1, 1854, and redeemable Jan. 1, 1864; Interest payable 1st January, and 1st July, at the Broadway Bank, New-York.

$1,000 One 6 per cent. Bond of the city of Williamsburg, dated Dec. 5, 1854, and payable 1st January, 1870; Interest payable annually, on the 1st of January.

$3,000 Cleveland and Toledo Railroad 7 per cent. Convertible Income Bonds, dated 1st July, 1854, and redeemable 1st July, 1864; Interest payable 1st January and 1st July, in New-York. $1,000 each.

24 shares [illegible] and Bellefontaine Railroad	$25 each
40 shares Illinois Central Railroad, ($10 paid in)	$100 each
40 shares Utica City Bank	$100 each
30 shares Shoe and Leather Bank	$100 each
10 shares Chatham Bank	$25 each
10 shares Mechanics' and Traders' Bank of Jersey City	$100 each
20 shares Knickerbocker Bank	$25 each
150 shares Empire City Bank	$100 each
25 shares Excelsior Fire Insurance Company	$50 each
100 shares Keystone Fire Insurance Co., Philadelphia	$50 each
10 shares Hanover Fire Insurance Company	$50 each
40 shares Lenox Fire Insurance Company	$50 each
10 shares Lafarge Fire Insurance Company	$50 each
40 shares Ohio Life Insurance and Trust Company	$100 each
15 shares American Express Company	$100 each
200 shares Deep River Copper Mining and Smelting Company	$10 each

Also, for account of W. E. Haskins, who purchased at the sale of the 18th, and has not complied with the terms of sale, 10 shares Eighth-avenue Railroad. $100 each.

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent. this day, and the balance before 2 o'clock to-morrow. The accrued interest on all the Bonds will be charged to the purchaser.

Next regular sale on SATURDAY; and in consequence of Monday next being Christmas, there will be a special sale on TUESDAY, the 26th inst.

A. H. N. holds regular sales of Stocks and Bonds, every MONDAY and THURSDAY, at the Merchants' Exchange, and also Special sales, when required, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday.

At private sale, a great variety of first-class Railroad Bonds, Bank, Insurance and other Stocks.

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HENRY H. LEEDS, Auctioneer.

BY H. H. LEEDS & CO.—TUESDAY, 19th, WEDNESDAY, 20th, and FRIDAY, 22d, at 10 o'clock, at the salesroom No. 19 Nassau-st., sale of superb fancy goods, including a large assortment of real statuary marble, alabaster and other goods, the importation of the Vito Viti Sons, also several valuable groups from the Crystal Palace. Among the marble statuary is one superb statue Flying Nymph, by Lovy; 1 do. Pandora, [illegible] copy of the figure Danaide, original in the Vatican, the first ever imported; 1 do. Bathing Nymph, an original Lombardi; 1 do. Madonna, Tenerani; [illegible] groups of Saviour and Mary, and other very beautiful and classic groups suitable for libraries and parlors. The alabaster vases will embrace all the antique styles copied from the British Museum and the galleries throughout France and Italy. One superb pair of amphoras for [illegible] with beautiful bas reliefs; [illegible] tazzas; [illegible] Pardiglio Tazzas for fruit and cards; [illegible] mantel vases, [illegible], also many other exquisite styles of the latest [illegible]. Gent's and ladies' writing and dressing cases of rosewood [illegible].

BRONZES.—Magnificent bronzes, selection of every size and subject; [illegible] from Europe, the finest ever offered in this City [illegible] the Lion, [illegible] and Africa, the Stag [illegible], Hercules, &c.

CLOCKS.—A large assortment of bronze and gilt French clocks, [illegible] the most [illegible].

ITALIAN STATUARY.—Magnificent groups and statuettes, representing the Finding of Moses, the Flute-player, Psyche, and Ruth, &c.; also busts of Napoleon, Washington, and others.

Fans of every description, [illegible], framed in rich carved pearl and ivory.

French Porcelain and China vases of every description, richly decorated in the latest new patterns.

SILVER PLATED WARE.—Castors, tea-urns, cake baskets, salvers, liquor stands.

JEWELRY.—An elegant assortment of diamond jewelry, consisting of bracelets, brooches, pins, rings, studs and sleeve buttons; also, watches, by the most celebrated English makers.

Also, fancy boxes, papeteries, card receivers, paperweights, and numerous other articles suitable for holiday presents.

Also a large invoice of Terra Cotta Ware exhibited in the Crystal Palace, consisting of large [illegible], figure groups, chimney tops, very elegant brackets, figures for bases, and other articles.

HENRY H. LEEDS, Auctioneer.

BY H. H. LEEDS & CO.—THURSDAY, 21st, and FRIDAY, 22d, at 7½ o'clock each evening, at our Gallery, No. 19 Nassau-st., [illegible] by the Executors. Collection—Superb Collection of fine old Pictures, superior to anything ever offered [illegible], in richly carved frames. Among them will be found some of the choicest paintings of the Italian school. Also, a valuable private collection, belonging to a gentleman leaving for Europe, all of the highest order. A magnificent Head of a Monk, by Rembrandt; [illegible]; a Negro Attacking a Lion, by Albert Drenz; [illegible], by Paul Van [illegible]; [illegible]. Also, superb originals by various artists; Sunset, Magdalen, St. Cecilia, Mythological, Scenes of great merit; Meditating Boy, Saviour, Hope, by [illegible]; St. Agnes, Madonna, by Sassa Ferrato; &c., by Carlo Dolci; Portrait, supposed by Raphael. Also, a very valuable private collection with certificates of their originality, by the following artists: Pignoni, Sasso Ferrato, Cavalier del Pino, Spadaro, Crespi, Giordano, Morello, Procaccini, Fontanesi, Annibal, Carracci, Velasquez, Carlo Dolci, Caravaggio, Luca Giordano, Salvator Rosa, Correggio, [illegible]. These pictures are of great value, some of which belonged to the late Mr. Clarke; also, several very costly paintings by first class American artists, viz.: Cropsey, Richards, Doughty, Carter, Ehninger, Rothermel, Wright, Carter, and others of distinguished talent. Also, a lot of beautiful paintings on copper, silk and canvas, just received from France, in rich frames; also, several paintings of the Flemish, French and Spanish schools.

The above splendid collection will be ready for exhibition two days previous to the sale. We particularly request the attention of our friends, connoisseurs and others to examine these pictures, being mostly received from private collections, and of the highest class, several of which cost from $150 to $600 each. Rarely have we been enabled to place before the public so many first-class paintings in a single sale, which is to be without reserve.

HENRY H. LEEDS, Auctioneer.

BY H. H. LEEDS & CO.—THURSDAY, Dec. 21, at 10½ o'clock, at the extensive warerooms of Wm. H. Hoseman, Esq., No. 35 Maiden-lane, near William-st.—The entire stock of rich Fancy Goods and Holiday Presents, being the entire importation of the above well-known Importer, (positively without reserve,) consisting of rich Parisian Bronzes—antique and modern, of the most recherche subjects and designs, all of which are warranted. French Porcelain Vases, tête-à-tête and other sets, superbly decorated, of various patterns, ormolu and crystal cabinets, jewel caskets, pen trays, card receivers, and entirely new articles of every variety, richly ornamented in arabesque and inlaid. Gents' and Ladies' Dressing and Writing Cases, in inlaid rosewood, ornamented in Buhl and variegated patterns, with solid silver fittings, and cut-glass vinaigrettes. Embossed Morocco Goods—comprising the richest description of ladies' reticules, beautiful dressing cases, pocket companions, papeteries and other varieties of this manufacture. Pearl inlaid and Silver mounted Jewel Caskets, card receivers and bijouterie of every description. Fans of every description, comprising silk, silk, and ornamented, framed in pearl and ivory, and richly carved, in all the finest assortments ever offered at auction in this City. Toys, the largest and finest assortment, comprising every variety of pattern, from the cheapest to the most costly. Also, superb bronzes in groups and statuettes.

We particularly request the attention of the public and those intending to purchase for the Holidays, to this sale, as combining the largest and most valuable assortment ever offered at auction in this City. Every article offered will be positively sold without reserve. Terms, cash for all sums of $100 and under; over that amount, five per cent. off. Goods on exhibition on Monday, 11th inst. Catalogues on the morning of sale.

WILLIAM IRVING, Auctioneer.

SUPERB SALE OF FANCY GOODS, SUITABLE FOR HOLIDAY PRESENTS.—WILLIAM IRVING & CO. will sell at auction on WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, Dec. 20 and 21, at 10½ o'clock, at the salesroom No. 8 Pine-st., superb Parian marble groups and figures, vases with raised flowers, pitchers, groups of animals, also heavy silver plated ware, comprising liquor frames, castors, waiters, tea sets, cake baskets, urns, tea kettles, card baskets, Chinese lacquered ware, cabinets, tables, tea caddies, work boxes, &c. Chinese enameled vases. Signor G. B. Pandolini's importation, Bardiglio yellow of Siena, verde antique and agate Roman, Grecian vases, Florentine mosaic, Roman and Florentine work, inlaid card receivers, Mosaic inlaid tables, &c. French China dinner and tea sets, cologne, jewel caskets, card receivers, vases, &c., bronze and marble clocks and candelabras, bronze groups and figures, candlesticks, card receivers, papeteries, papier maché, pearl inlaid table sets, work boxes, card trays, Bohemian glass ware, wax dolls, toys, &c.

SAMUEL OSGOOD, Auctioneer.

AUCTION NOTICE.—HOLIDAY PRESENTS FROM A BROADWAY STORE, of splendid gold watches and fine jewelry.—SAMUEL OSGOOD will sell at his salesroom, No. 18 Nassau-st., THIS MORNING, Thursday, Dec. 21, at 10½ o'clock, an assortment of gold and silver watches, from the best English makers; also, fine diamond jewelry, &c. Every article warranted as represented in the catalogue. The above is from a first class Broadway establishment, and can be relied on as to quality, &c. Sale positive.

W. H. WEEKS, Auctioneer.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.—BAKER & WEEKS will sell at public auction THURSDAY, the 21st instant, at 10½ o'clock A. M., at No. 5 City Hall-square, under French's Hotel, the entire stock and fixtures of a gentleman's furnishing store, consisting of a variety of shirts, collars, cravats, umbrellas, canes, &c. Also, show-cases, shelving, counters, &c.

W. S. MELLOR, Auctioneer.

BY HOUGHTON & MELLOR.—THIS DAY, (Thursday) at 10½ o'clock, at No. 113 Nassau-st.—Sale of rich Chinese and Paris made furniture, piano-fortes, office desks, mirrors, carpets, oil paintings, parlor organ, &c.; elaborately carved Chinese chamber and parlor furniture, ivory and pearl inlaid, of the richest description ever imported to this country, now on exhibition, together with magnificent carved walnut Paris made furniture, Elizabethan style, consisting of book cases, drawing-room tables, extension dining-tables, 14 feet long, with mahogany slides and cost to import $175. One elaborately carved walnut etagere, 10 feet high, with mirror, back corner etageres, writing tables, brackets, bookstands, hat stands, &c., all to match. This sale will comprise the finest collection of antique furniture ever sold at auction. Elegantly carved first class cabinet furniture, mirrors, piano-fortes, oil paintings, &c., viz.: Richly carved rosewood parlor furniture in suites, covered in satin brocatelle and hair cloth, do. marble-top etageres, French secretaries, library bookcases, do. marble-top centre and fancy tables, extension dining tables, mahogany, oak and walnut, do. chairs, pedestals and mahogany easy, Voltaire, rocking and parlor chairs, sofas, tête-à-têtes, divans, sofa bedsteads, bureaus, commodes, washstands, stands and hall chairs, bedsteads, bureaus and washstands to match, painted and enameled chamber furniture in suites, best hair mattresses and palliasses, gilt frame pier and oval mirrors, oil paintings and engravings, rich China dinner sets, also, ten counting-room desks, carpets, arm-chairs; also, one parlor organ, six stops, rosewood bagatelle board, three rosewood piano-fortes, &c. Every facility for packing.

JOHN L. VANDEWATER, Auctioneer.

HOLIDAY PRESENTS.—VANDEWATER & TURNER will sell on WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY, Dec. 20, 21, 22 and 23, at 10½ o'clock each day, at the salesroom No. 3 Pine and No. 25 Cedar-sts., a splendid assortment of rich Parisian fancy goods, consisting in part of elegantly decorated and painted China vases, [illegible], cologne bottles, richly decorated dinner and tea sets, coffee sets, richly painted motto cups, mantel clocks and candelabras, clocks and glass stands, bronze figures, groups, statuettes, coupes, candelabras, candlesticks, richly decorated Bisque statuettes, figures, groups, Bohemian glass optical cup vases, colognes, card receivers, bowls, ruby [illegible] sets, turquoise goblets and tumblers, fine cut decanters, champagnes, clarets, wines, &c. Papier maché tables, dressing cases, writing desks, [illegible], glove-boxes, silver plated tea and coffee services, coffee urns, cake baskets, castors, card baskets, dinner and dessert forks and spoons, tea-table and dessert spoons. Also about 50 cases of English and German toys, suitable for holiday presents.—The whole forming the most desirable selection of holiday gifts ever offered at auction. Now on exhibition.

RUSSELL W. WESTCOTT, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE OF HANDSOME HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE—TO-MORROW, Friday, at 10½ o'clock, at house No. 12 8th-av., R. W. WESTCOTT will sell all the elegant furniture contained in the above house, which is replete with everything useful and ornamental for housekeeping. Rich carpets, rosewood piano-forte, rosewood parlor suites, marble-top tables, French sofas, pier and mantel mirrors, with a number of rich and elegant mantel vases and other choice ornaments, French clocks, valuable oil paintings, in rich gold frames. Also, rosewood and mahogany chamber furniture of every description; hair mattresses, feather beds, bedding, &c., with a large quantity of basement and kitchen furniture, rich silver ware, ivory cutlery, cutglass ware, extension table, rich china dinner and tea sets, oval mirrors, &c. Catalogues at house. Every article to be peremptorily sold to the highest bidder, rain or shine.

D. D. NASH, Auctioneer, Store No. 210 Broadway.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF RICH FANCY ARTICLES, &c.—On FRIDAY, Dec. 22, 1854, at No. 251 Broadway, at 11 A. M., consisting of bronzes, mantel ornaments, clocks, candelabras, fancy articles of all kinds, opera glasses, fans, papier maché goods, work boxes, dressing cases, glove boxes and stands, porte monnaies of every variety and finish, riding whips, French prints, transparencies, plated ware, French gilt jewelry, rich assortment of gold jewelry, fancy and plain stationery, comprising cap, letter and note papers, envelopes, steel pens, pencils, sealing wax, wafers, Bristol drawing board, artists' materials, Newman's colors, &c. &c., globes, &c. &c.

R. C. KEMP, Auctioneer.

FURNITURE, PIANO-FORTES, FANCY GOODS, &c.—TO-MORROW (Friday,) at 10½ o'clock, at No. 80 Nassau-st., two doors from Fulton-st.—R. C. KEMP will sell at auction, as above, a large assortment of parlor, dining-room and chamber furniture, consisting of superior rosewood [illegible] for furniture, ottomans, mahogany sofas and chairs in variety; bookcases, etageres, marble top centre and pier tables, lace window curtains, looking-glasses, China vases and ornaments, a variety of rich fancy articles, bedsteads, bureaus, washstands, &c. Also, two piano-fortes, other articles, all the usual assortment of furniture, cooking stoves, &c. Catalogues on the morning of sale.

R. C. KEMP, Auctioneer.

JEWELRY, WATCHES, &c.—To be sold at Auction, on FRIDAY and SATURDAY, at 10½ o'clock, at the store, No. 183 Greenwich-st., between Cortlandt and Dey-sts., viz.: The entire valuable stock of an old and reputable dealer, to close the estate—A very large and valuable stock of fine gold watches, comprising every variety and style, all of which are warranted. Ladies' fine gold watches, some of which are set with diamonds, gold guard, vest and fob chains; jewelry of every variety; silver and silver-plated ware, silver cups, gold and silver thimbles, fancy goods, &c. Also, the store fixtures, consisting of show cases, iron safe, counters, &c. Catalogues on the morning of sale.

E. BREVOORT HENRY, Auctioneer.

SALE OF RICH AND VALUABLE FURS, SLEIGH ROBES, &c.—THIS DAY, (Thursday,) at 11 o'clock, at the Salesroom of HENRY & BUCK, No. 14 Maiden-lane. This stock consists of the finest Hudson Bay sable, Siberian, stone marten, fitch martens, Kolinsky, Siberian squirrel, American and mountain martens, victorines and cuffs, capes, mantillas, talmas, &c.; also, gent's fur gloves, collars, and wolf, bear, raccoon, buffalo and buffalo robes, &c. &c. This sale is worthy the attention of those purchasing for Christmas presents, as the stock consists of every variety of first-class furs that are manufactured. Sale positive.

GEORGE COOK, Auctioneer.

THE LARGEST AND BEST ASSORTED STOCK OF FURNITURE IN THE CITY.—At 10½ o'clock, THIS DAY, and to continue daily until the whole is sold, GEORGE COOK will sell at above, by auction, at No. 339 Broadway, the splendid and superior custom-made stock of parlor, dining-room, chamber and office furniture, of James E. Cook, Esq., contained in the above store. Also, several splendid French plate mirrors, rosewood piano-forte, &c. &c. The whole to be sold without reserve, and is well worthy the attention of the trade and others. Catalogues now ready.

HENRY H. LEEDS, Auctioneer.

BY H. H. LEEDS & CO.—THURSDAY, the 21st, at 10 o'clock, at our gallery, No. 19 Nassau-st. Large sale of Furs—Manufactured for the City retail trade in the best manner, to be sold without reserve, consisting of stone and mink marten, chinchilla, Hudson Bay sables, Kolinsky, victorines, palatines, talmas, capes, cuffs, muffs, &c., all lined with silk; also, ermine sets for misses, gent's muskrat Astracan gloves, foot muffs, &c.; also, about 250 wolf, bear, squirrel, coon and Buffalo robes, of every size and description. The above goods are all warranted as represented. To be sold positively without reserve.

MATTHEW JORDAN, Auctioneer.

BY JORDAN & NORTON, Auctioneers and Commission Merchants, No. 330 Broadway, (up stairs.)—WEDNESDAY, Dec. 20, and following evenings, will be sold an extensive and valuable collection of rare and curious works; also, splendidly illustrated books, choice English annuals for Holiday presents. Sales commence at 7 o'clock.

J. & N. have just received from London 102 cases of rare and valuable old books, which are now unpacking, and will shortly be at private sale at their rooms, No. 330 Broadway.

R. C. KEMP, Auctioneer.

PIANO-FORTES AT AUCTION BY ORDER OF ASSIGNEES.—R. C. KEMP will sell at auction on FRIDAY, at 12 o'clock, at No. 80 Nassau-st., two doors from Fulton-st., by order of the assignees, 14 superior rosewood 6½ and 7-octave piano-fortes of superior quality and tone, which presents a very favorable opportunity for those wishing to purchase a first-class instrument at auction price. Sale positive. Piano-fortes may be examined before the sale.

W. S. MELLOR, Auctioneer.

BY HOUGHTON & MELLOR.—THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, at No. 113 Nassau-st., one elaborately carved rosewood marble top Buffet, cost $1,000, formerly the property of a French nobleman; one parlor organ, 6 stops; 3 rosewood piano-fortes, one Bohm flute, made by Rudergrich Paris and Chinese furniture of antique styles. Sale positive.

W. A. CARTER, Auctioneer.

No. 57 Dey-st., cor. of Greenwich-st.

GROCERIES, CIGARS, HAMS, CURRANTS AND RAISINS.—FRIDAY, Dec. 22, at 10½ o'clock, chocolate, cigars, teas, sugars, prunes, rice, coffee, whisky, brandy, gin, wines, lemon syrup, soap, candles, pickles, almonds, hardware, knives and forks, scales and weights, saddlery, whips, store fixtures, and [illegible].

THOMAS BELL, Auctioneer.

AUCTION NOTICE.—By BELL & BUSH, THIS DAY, 10½ o'clock, in the sales rooms, No. 27 Centre-st., furniture, piece of dry goods, gentlemen's furnishing articles, &c. FRIDAY, 11 o'clock, a splendid stock of the choicest wines, liquors, &c., pure as imported. By order of assignees, in lots to suit families, &c. No other goods admitted.

S. VANDEVEER, Assignee.

M. WRAY, Auctioneer.

AUCTION NOTICE.—TO RETAILERS AND FAMILIES.—By W. W. SHIRLEY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY, and SATURDAY of this week, at 10½ o'clock, at Field's Commission Store, No. 107 Fulton, opposite to Dutch-st., for importers. All kinds China, crockery, glass in sets, marble and fancy ware, toys, &c. Those wanting bargains for presents will do well to attend.

ELIAS COMBS, Auctioneer, Office No. 244 Grand-st.

HOLIDAY AUCTION OF TOYS AND FANCY GOODS.—E. COMBS will sell at No. 123 Bowery, on FRIDAY and SATURDAY, Dec. 22 and 23, at 11 o'clock A. M., in small lots, a variety of toys, toy furniture, &c. Additional consignments solicited.

IMPROVED ARTIFICIAL TEETH.—Dr. J. ALLEN, late Professor in the Ohio College of Dental Surgery, invites attention to his improved method of constructing Artificial Dentures, which combine the following advantages:

1. There are no cracks or crevices for the lodgment of food to vitiate the saliva or infect the breath, as not even the slightest moisture can get between the teeth and plate.

2. An Artificial Gum, which is as firm and indestructible as the teeth, is fused at a high heat between and around their base, which unites them firmly to each other and to the plate upon which they are set. This gum imparts to the teeth that peculiar expression and life-like appearance which characterize the natural organs.

3. Great strength is obtained by thus uniting the teeth, gum and plate, so that no ordinary force in masticating can break them from their base.

4. A clear and distinct articulation of speech is restored. This important change is effected by having the inside of the teeth and gum of a natural form. To this form the tongue is readily adapted. This perfect adaptation of the tongue to the denture prevents the lisping or muffled sounds in speaking or singing so often observed in persons wearing artificial teeth.

5. The natural form and expression of the mouth and face can be restored, in cases where they have become sunken. This is done by means of additional attachments to the frame work supporting the teeth. These attachments are so formed as to bring out the sunken portions, and sustain them in their proper position. They are covered with the above named gum compound and become component parts of the denture, and when rightly formed cannot be detected by the closest observer. This method of restoring the cheeks to their original fullness, and also the natural form and expression of the mouth and lips, has been well tested, having been made a special feature in the author's practice for several years past. A variety of Photographic and Daguerreotype likenesses, which have been taken of persons without this improvement and also with it, can be seen at his office, showing the great change in appearance which is produced in the countenances of individuals for whom dentures have been constructed upon this principle, to which the public are invited to call and examine, together with other specimens of his improved style of work, not requiring the above attachments.

6. The materials usually employed for this work are platina, the purity of which prevents even the slightest tarnish, or unpleasant taste in the mouth. In short, this system embraces many new and important features, which are readily appreciated by those wearing artificial dentures upon this principle. With reference to the utility of this method, unquestionable testimonials can be presented from Dentists in the various cities of the Union, and persons wearing the work in this and other cities.

J. ALLEN, No. 22 Bond-st., New-York.

INSTRUCTION.

THE SCHOOL OF MR. BUCHANAN FOR BOYS—Called the CLASSICAL GYMNASIUM, 8 Bible House, Astor-place, entrance on 8th-st., has now several vacancies in each of the two departments, the complement being twenty. The thorough, systematic and elegant training afforded is peculiar, and believed to be unequaled in this country.

PRIVATE FRENCH LESSONS.—A young gentleman from Paris is desirous of giving private French Lessons. He would like to spend some evenings in instructing respectable families in French conversation. Best references will be given. Apply to Dr. BEHLE, No. 466 Broadway.

OTTIGNON'S GYMNASIUM—Nos. 159 and 161 Crosby-st.—open daily from sunrise until 10 P. M. Evening Class at 8 o'clock. JOHN WOOD, Instructor. Sparring taught by C. F. OTTIGNON, Proprietor.

INSTRUCTION.—Professor M. T. TOLON, Teacher and Translator of the Spanish, French, Italian and English languages. Terms $1 a lesson. A course of 25 lessons $20. No. 269 Greenwich-st.

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CLARKE & FANNING, Principals.

MRS. J. T. BENEDICT'S SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES, No. 6 West 15th-st., two doors from 5th-av. The second term will commence Nov. 22.

DANCING.

A. DODWORTH'S DANCING ACADEMY.—No. 806 Broadway, opposite 11th-st., is now open for the reception of pupils, who can commence at any time. Ladies and children on WEDNESDAYS and SATURDAYS, at 3 and 4 o'clock P. M.; gentlemen on WEDNESDAYS, THURSDAYS, and every other FRIDAY, at 7½ o'clock P. M. Practising Assemblies on SATURDAY EVENINGS for ladies and gentlemen. Monthly Soirées as usual. Circulars (containing days, hours and terms of instruction) can be had at the Academy at any time, or will be sent by post.

FOR SALE.

HOUSES AND FARMS FOR SALE.—At the Merchants' Real Estate Office, No. 5 Bowery Hotel, corner 4th-av. and 17th-st., several fine Houses in various parts of the City. A large number of Farms in the vicinity of New-York. Good unimproved property in the upper part of the City. Very valuable business property. Most of the above property will be exchanged for other property, within or without the City, improved or unimproved. The location of this office, so convenient for reference concerning property, offers superior inducements to property owners to give it their patronage. Especial attention also paid to letting of houses, sales of furniture, collections, &c.

EMERSON W. KEYES.

HOUSE FOR SALE OR TO LET IN ALBANY.—The 3-story basement and attic house No. 81 Waterloo-st., with or without the furniture, is offered for sale or to let; or it would be exchanged for railroad securities or other property. Apply to W. AUSTIN, No. 11 Wall-st.

WAREHOUSE OF WINDSOR PAPER MILLS, Nos. 65 and 67 Nassau-st., New-York.—The subscribers having commenced manufacturing news and book paper at their new paper works, at Windsor Locks, containing fourteen largest size engines and seventy-inch Fourdrinier machines (one more to be added,) are now ready to receive orders from persons in want of a superior quality of news or book printing paper. These works have been built with great care, embracing all the modern improvements, with a full supply of spring and artesian water, together with never failing power, insuring a uniform good color to the paper and a regular supply in quantity and quality. The capacity of the two mills to manufacture fifteen thousand pounds of paper per day.

PERSSE & BROOKS.

BANKS OF THE HUDSON RIVER.—For sale that very desirable property known as Oak Hill Seminary, Yonkers, located on Broadway, about half a mile from the Railroad Depot, and commanding a magnificent view up and down the River for many miles; well adapted for a first class Hotel or Seminary. The main building is three stories and basement, 52 feet front and about 48 deep, suitable [illegible], with a [illegible] the same, [illegible] and two stories high. The grounds attached is well laid out with fruit and shade trees. Yonkers is 17 miles from the City, one hour by Railroad, and is accessible nearly every hour of the day. For permission to examine the premises and terms, which are very easy, apply to JAMES PRICE, No. 220 Hudson-st.

COUNTRY SEAT AND FARM FOR SALE.—North of the village of Jamaica, on high ground, with extensive views of Staten Island, the Ocean and the Heights of Neversink and very healthy; 40 acres are under good cultivation; 20 acres [illegible] woodland; three orchards of choice fruit of engrafted and choice fruit; lawn and shrubbery, shade, &c. Mansion 40 by 45 [illegible], containing all the building 75 feet wide; servants' house, carriage house, stable, barns and abundance of water; ice and green houses; and every way adapted for a very desirable gentleman's country residence. The property will be sold on favorable terms, or exchanged for a good house or lots well located in this City or Brooklyn. Apply to HOMER MORGAN, Pine-st. No. 3 Metropolitan Bank Building.

FOR SALE AT YONKERS.—A fine large house, new and well [illegible], very desirably situated on high ground, in a central part of the village and the Railroad. [illegible]. It was built by day's work, in the best manner, and is very conveniently arranged. The ground (half an acre) is nicely laid out and fenced. The [illegible] Railroad to New-York is a very desirable [illegible]. For terms and further particulars apply to FREDERICK A. COE, Esq., No. 20 John-st., and C. C. MERCHANT, Esq., corner Broadway and Duane-st.; ROOME & BURNHAM, No. 322 Broadway, or to M. W. RASHFORD, Post-Office, Yonkers, N. Y.

DESIRABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.—On the northern corner of 19th and 25th-sts., five of all-commodious. The indisputable. Beginning on the N. W. corner of 1st-av. and 25th-st., thence northerly on 1st-av. 143 feet 7 inches; thence north-westerly 192 feet 7 inches; thence southerly 143 feet 9 inches; thence south-easterly 192 feet 7 inches on 1st-st. to place of beginning. Said property offered at [illegible]. Maps of property and all information regarding it may be had of WM. W. WHITE, No. 65 Bowery.

FARM FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—For improved real estate in the City or Brooklyn, located in Connecticut. It is in high cultivation, complete in improvements, with the utensils if wanted. Apply to

JOHN GOULD, No. 17 Maiden-lane.

TO LET.

HOUSE TO LET.—The beautiful, full sized, modern three-story and stone basement brick house No. 215 Adams-st., Brooklyn; three rooms deep, double stairs, gas, baths, range, heater, bells and speaking tubes. To a piano-forte maker the rent will be taken in instruments or trade tickets. Inquire at Gould's music store, No. 68 Court-st., Brooklyn. Possession at once.

HOUSE FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.—A first class three-story and basement house with all the modern improvements, in a first rate neighborhood uptown. For lots on 1st, 2d or 3d avs. call on Tuesdays and Thursdays, evening, at 8 o'clock, corner of 4th-av. and 24th-st. Mr. TURNER.

TO LEASE TO FLORISTS.—For a term of years, at a moderate rent, a house and 2 lots of land in Astoria. Also, a number of vacant lots, in parcels to suit. The land is of first quality, and in the immediate vicinity of the gardens of Messrs. Thorburn, Bridgman, Buchanan, Marc, Donald, Mantel and Wilson. For terms and further particulars apply to H. L. SIKES, No. 100 Nassau-st., New-York, second story.

STORES OR WAREROOMS TO LET.—In the second story of Appleton's Building, corner of Leonard-st., most spacious stores on Broadway, suited to every description of retail or wholesale business. No more desirable location to be found on Broadway. Apply to D. APPLETON & CO., Nos. 346 and 348 Broadway.

STEAM POWER TO LET, AT THE EMPIRE WORKS, foot of East 24th-st., New-York. Both room and power unequaled by any establishment in the United States. Apply to SLOAN & LEGGETT, before 10 A. M. and after 3 P. M.

STEAM POWER TO LET.—In light and airy rooms, in a new building in Cliff-st. Apply to

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MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

AN ORGAN AT AUCTION.—HOUGHTON & MELLOR, No. 113 Nassau-st., will sell at auction, on THURSDAY, Dec. 21, at 12 o'clock M., a new organ, suitable for the parlor or a small church; six stops, general swell, carved solid mahogany case; built by one of the oldest organ-builders in the country, and the mechanism warranted perfect, with a compass that may be varied from a tone softer than the flute to one that will fill a chapel. The organ is the noblest of musical instruments. It may be examined at any time previous to the sale, at No. 113 Nassau-st.

CONSIGNMENT SALE OF PIANOS.—From the best City makers, in plain and fancy cases, from 6 to 7-octaves, with orders to sell at a great reduction from the factory price, for cash, fully warranted. Also, an assortment of second-hand Pianos, at great bargains, from $30 to $100. Pianos of our own manufacture constantly on hand. Apply at the manufactory and wareroom.

McDONALD BROTHERS, No. 346 Bowery, near Houston-st.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF FIRST-CLASS PIANO-FORTES—Just in from our factory, will be sold at a great reduction from former prices, for cash or short time. These instruments are not surpassed for fullness and sweetness of tone, or for long standing in tune, by any in the market.

BENNETT & CO., No. 361 Broadway.

ARE OUR READERS AWARE—That at No. 441 Broadway can be procured at a small price the best Piano-Fortes in market? Also, that the Grand Diagonal Piano of A. W. LADD & Co., with their new action, are pronounced the best square Pianos in existence. Sole agency of CARHART & NEEDHAM'S unrivaled Melodeons at No. 441 Broadway.

A GREAT BARGAIN.—A splendid 7-octave $350 rosewood Piano-Forte for sale for $225, on the owner now sails for Italy; been used but two months; made by the best City maker, perfect in all respects, and fully warranted; patent metallic frame, modern case and improvements. It can be seen at No. 36 Vesey-st. from 9 o'clock until 2 P. M. to-day, Dec. 21.

IMMENSE SACRIFICE.—A most splendid new rosewood Piano-Forte, made by a journeyman piano-maker for his family's use, and fully warranted in every respect, will be sold, and an old piano taken in exchange, at a great sacrifice from cost. By MR. WEBER'S kindness it may be seen at No. 103 West Broadway.

PIANO-FORTES, manufactured by JOHN P. WAKE & CO., No. 23 Barclay-st., fully warranted equal to any in the world, and at the lowest factory prices, for cash or approved paper.

N. B.—Second-hand Pianos very cheap.

PIANO-FORTES AND MELODIONS.—Unrivaled in depth, brilliancy, power and purity of tone. Best in the market. Fully warranted.

GEO. F. BRISTOW, MORSE & CO., No. 423 Broadway.

PIANO-FORTES.—A fine assortment of Piano-Fortes for sale cheap. Also, new Piano-fortes to rent, with privilege of purchasing. HAINES, BROTHERS & CUMMINGS, No. 116 3d-av., corner 14th-st.

FLUTE INSTRUCTION.—Evening lessons given upon Boehm and other flutes, at No. 218 Sullivan-st., between Bleecker and Amity.

OIL, COGNAC, ESSENCES, RUM, ARRAC, OWHISKY—And hop essences, elderberries and catalogue chemicals; patent medicines, drugs, metals, &c.; bromine, iodine, cyanide potassium, oxide silver, distilled verdigris, caustic baryta, gallic and pyrogallic acids, platina in plate and wire, bismuth, cadmium, phosphorus, copper, Venice-lime, Thorn's extract copaiva and sarsaparilla, fumigating pastiles, [illegible], chemical crucibles, Bohemian glass, &c.; for sale by Dr. L. FEUCHTWANGER, No. 143 Maiden-lane.

FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD CO., NEW-YORK, Nov. 9, 1854.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the stockholders of this Company, that an installment of five dollars on each share of the Capital Stock of the Company, on which ten dollars per share have been heretofore paid, is required to be paid on or before the 4th day of December next, at the office of the Company, No. 54 Wall-st., New-York. The transfer books will be closed from this date, to and including the 15th day of November instant, but no transfers will be permitted after that date without payment of the installment now called. By order of the Executive Committee.

J. N. PERKINS, Secretary.

NEW-YORK CENTRAL RAILROAD COMPANY'S OFFICE.—ALBANY, July 25, 1854.—The public are notified that the 7 per cent. Convertible Bonds of this Company may now be obtained at par, on application at this office, or at the transfer agencies of this Company in New-York or Boston. These Bonds have ten years to run, with semi-annual interest warrants, payable in New-York. They are issued in sums of $500 and $1,000, payable to bearer, and may be consolidated into larger amounts if desired, and made payable to order.

JOHN V. L. PRUYN, Treasurer.

OFFICE No. 5 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, Nov. 22, 1854.

THE UNDERSIGNED—(Formerly many years and Secretary of the Delaware and Hudson Canal Company,) is prepared to transact a GENERAL BANKING AND COMMISSION BUSINESS in the sale and negotiation of State, Bank and Railway Stocks and Securities, and of Business Paper. Dividend and Interest Warrants collected and remitted. Mr. JACOB E. LE ROY, as the special partner, has contributed Fifty Thousand Dollars to the capital of the concern.

GILEAD A. SMITH.

BANKING, EXCHANGE AND COLLECTION OFFICE.—GREEN & SEWELL, No. 32 Wall-st. Uncurrent money, checks and drafts on other cities, and certificates of deposit bought at the lowest market rates. Collections made everywhere throughout the United States and Canadas, at a low rate and with promptness. Business paper and loans of every description negotiated.

NEW-YORK, Dec. 19, 1854.

OFFICE NEW-YORK GAS LIGHT COMPANY, Dec. 12, 1854.

THE ANNUAL ELECTION for thirteen Directors of this Company will be held on MONDAY, the 8th day of January next, at the office, No. 176 Centre-st., from 12 to 2 o'clock P. M. The transfer book will be closed from the 23d inst. until after the election. By order,

C. L. EVERITT, Secretary.

BANK OF NEW-YORK.—Nov. 1, 1854.—The holders of the new Stock of the BANK OF NEW-YORK, whose installments have not been paid up, are hereby notified that the balance due (fifty per cent.) will be required to be paid on or before the 1st day of January next.

By order of the Board of Directors.

A. P. HALSEY, Cashier.

TAPSCOTT & CO.'S FOREIGN EXCHANGE OFFICE.—Sight Drafts on England, Ireland, Scotland, France and Germany, for large and small sums, can at all times be obtained on application to

TAPSCOTT & CO., No. 86 South-st.

BROKEN BANKS—PRESENT VALUE.—All New-York City Banks taken at par; Government Stock, 90 cents; Bridgeton, 80; Wheat Growers, 60; Lewis County, 40—at EVANS' Clothing Warehouse, Nos. 66 and 68 Fulton-st.

PARTIES HOLDING BILLS OR DRAFTS drawn by Drexel, Sather & Church, of San Francisco, Cal., payable at the Ocean Bank of this City, are requested to present the same for payment to

J. T. VAN VLECK & READ, No. 27 Wall-st.

PARTIES HOLDING BILLS OR DRAFTS drawn by Page, Bacon & Co., of San Francisco, or Page & Bacon, of St. Louis, on the American Exchange Bank, are requested to present them for payment to

DUNCAN, SHERMAN & CO.

TAPSCOTT & CO.'S FOREIGN EXCHANGE OFFICE.—Sight Drafts on England, Ireland, Scotland, Wales, France, and Germany, for large or small sums, can at all times be obtained on application to

TAPSCOTT & CO., No. 86 South-st.

THE CIRCULATING NOTES of the Farmers' and Citizens' Bank of Williamsburg, are redeemed at par at the Mercantile Bank, New-York.

O. M. BEACH, Cashier.

PAWCATUCK BANK—Notes, Conn. Redeemed at ¼ per cent. by CHAS. B. GRANNISS, No. 66 Wall-st.

STOCKS—Bought and sold, strictly on commission, by A. W. GREENLEAF, office No. 3 Wall-st., N. Y.

BANK NOTICES.

IRVING SAVINGS INSTITUTION, No. 96 Warren, corner of Greenwich.—Open daily from 10 A. M. to 2 P. M., and to 7 P. M. Interest at the rate of 6 per cent. allowed on all sums from $1 to $500. The Funds of this Institution are securely invested in Bonds and Mortgages in the City of New-York, worth double the amount loaned, and in Bonds of this City.

CALEB S. WOODHULL, President.

W. M. FUNKE, } Vice-Presidents.

H. D. VAN PELT, }

VANDERBILT L. BUXTON, Secretary.

BANK DEPARTMENT—STATE OF NEW-YORK, ALBANY, Oct. 24, 1854.—Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, that all the circulating notes issued to J. L. LEONARD, an individual Banker (the Bank of the People, Lowville, Lewis County), must be presented at the Office of the Superintendent of the Banking Department of the State of New-York, for payment, within two years from the date hereof, or the funds deposited for the redemption of the circulating notes issued to the said Banker will be given up.

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D. B. ST. JOHN, Superintendent.

BANK DEPARTMENT—STATE OF NEW-YORK, ALBANY, Aug. 7, 1854.—Notice is hereby given in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, that all the circulating notes issued to MARTIN G. AUSTIN, an individual banker, BANK OF THE EMPIRE STATE, must be presented at the office of the Superintendent of the Banking Department of the State of New-York, within two years from the date of this notice, or the funds deposited for the redemption of such notes will be given up to said banker.

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D. B. ST. JOHN, Superintendent.

BANK DEPARTMENT—STATE OF NEW-YORK, ALBANY, Nov. 21, 1854.—Notice to the bill holders of the EIGHTH-AVENUE BANK.—The Eighth-avenue Bank having failed to redeem its circulating notes issued to the said Bank, the securities deposited and held in trust for the redemption of said circulating notes have been sold pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided. Notice is hereby given that a dividend of [illegible] per cent. has been declared on the said circulating notes, which will be paid on presentation of the same at the Department.

D. B. ST. JOHN, Superintendent.

DRY DOCK SAVINGS BANK.—No. 319 4th-st., near Avenue C. Deposits made on or before the 20th of January next will receive interest from the 1st of January. Interest as usual, at 6 per cent. per annum on sums of $1,000 and under. By order

ANDREW MILLS, President.

JAMES L. STEWART, Secretary.

NEW-YORK, Dec. 17, 1854.

DIVIDENDS.

BOWERY SAVINGS BANK, NEW-YORK, Dec. 14, 1854.

DIVIDEND.—The depositors are hereby notified that a semi-annual dividend at the rate of six per cent. per annum, on all sums of five dollars and upwards, and not more than five hundred dollars, and four per cent. per annum on all sums of five hundred dollars and upwards, which shall have been deposited at least three months on the first day of January next, will be paid to the depositors on or after the 15th January, during the hours of business at the Bank. All interest not called for will remain to principal, and draw interest accordingly, from the first of January. The Bank is open for business daily, from 10 A. M. to 2 P. M., and on Mondays, Thursdays and Saturdays, from 5 to 7 P. M., at No. 128 Bowery. By order of the Trustees.

JAMES MILLS, President.

G. H. COGGESHALL, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE CLEVELAND, COLUMBUS & CIN. R. R. COMPANY, CLEVELAND, Dec. 13, 1854.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.—A Cash Dividend of Five Per Cent. on the capital stock of this Company from the net earnings of the Road for the past six months ending this date, has been declared, payable in conformity with the by-laws of the Company, on the 25th of January next.

Stockholders registered on the New-York books will be paid at the Banking Office of Messrs. Winslow, Lanier & Co., No. 52 Wall-st.

Transfer books will close from the evening of the 26th inst. to the 26th January, inclusive. By order of the Board of Directors.

T. P. HANDY, Treasurer.

TREASURER'S OFFICE, Cleveland, Painesville and Ashtabula Railroad Co.

NOTICE.—A cash dividend of five per cent. on the paid stock of this Company, and the same pro rata on the new stock issued by order of the Board, April 18, 1854, has been declared out of the net earnings for the six months ending Dec. 31, 1854, payable to the stockholders, at the Office of the Treasurer in Cleveland, on the 2d day of January next. The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed ten days, on and after the 22d instant. By order of the Board of Directors.

PARKER HANDY, Treasurer.

DEC. 6, 1854.

EMIGRANT INDUSTRIAL SAVINGS BANK, NEW-YORK, Dec. 16, 1854.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.—Depositors are hereby notified that a semi-annual dividend at the rate of six per cent. per annum on all sums of $500 and under, and five per cent. per annum on all sums of $500 which shall have been deposited at least three months on the 1st day of January next, will be paid to depositors on and after Monday, Jan. 15. Interest not called for will be carried to the credit of depositors as principal. The Bank will be open daily for business from 10 A. M. to 2 P. M., and from 5 to 7 P. M., at No. 51 Chambers-street, east of Broadway.

JOSEPH STUART, President.

JOHN MANNING, Comptroller.

MANHATTAN SAVINGS INSTITUTION, Dec. 20, 1854.

DIVIDEND.—The Manhattan Savings Institution have declared their usual semi-annual dividend on all deposits entitled thereto, at the rate of six (6) per cent. per annum on all sums of $500 and under, and five (5) per cent. on all sums over that amount, payable on and after the 16th day of January next. Dividends not called for will draw interest the same as principal.

E. J. BROWN, President.

A. A. ALVORD, Secretary.

BANK OF NEW-YORK.—The President and Directors of the Bank of New-York have this day declared a Dividend of Four per cent. for six months, ending the 30th inst., payable to the stockholders at the Bank, on and after the 2d day of January. The Transfer Books will be closed from this day to the 1st of January. By order of the Board of Directors.

A. P. HALSEY, Cashier.

NEW-YORK, Dec. 15, 1854.

BANK OF NORTH AMERICA, NEW-YORK, Dec. 18, 1854.

A DIVIDEND of three and one half per cent. has this day been declared payable to stockholders on the 2d of January, proximo. The transfer books will be closed from the 20th instant till the day of payment.

I. SEYMOUR, Cashier.

THE JANUARY INTEREST.—On the Civil Fund Bonds of the State of California, will be paid by JOHN COOK, Jr., at his office, No. 21 Broadway, on presentation of the Coupons, on and after the 1st January, 1855.

COAL.

COAL AND FLOUR.—The people's Coal and Flour Agencies, No. 55 Broadway, New-York, and No. 183 Fulton-st., Brooklyn, continue to sell the best quality of egg, stove, and nut coal at the lowest prices. Also, flour by the single barrel, for family use, at the wholesale market prices. Those wanting to purchase will find it their interest to apply at the above Agencies.

COAL.—J. L. WORTH, Coal Dealer.—Yard, corner of 18th and Thompson-sts. Down-town office, No. 23 Wall-st., second story, in the rear.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.—All persons having claims against [illegible] the firm of ANDREWS & McCLURE, are hereby notified to present the same to the subscriber, at No. 115 Cedar-st., New-York.

F. H. [illegible], Assignee.

New-York Daily Times.

NEW-YORK, THURSDAY, DEC. 21, 1854.

☞ 600 lbs. Bourgeois Type For Sale—Copper-faced, and in good order. Apply at this office.

To Correspondents.

Anonymous communications will receive no attention. All articles pertaining to facts must be accompanied by the writer's name, not for publication, but as a guarantee of the truth of the statements made.

We cannot undertake to return manuscripts that may be sent for publication.

Voluntary correspondence containing important news, from all quarters of the world, is solicited. If used, it will be liberally paid for.

Practical Hints to Make Holidays Harmless.

The holidays are approaching. Their gayety and mirth projects itself into the present, and already in anticipation our firesides are the more cheerful for their coming. We have a word to utter now, before the arrangements for their festivities have all been made, and it is too late for it to be heeded without awkward changes of policy. The custom of making New-Year's calls is a good one, giving to the day, as it does, a social character, without which it loses half its reputation.

But, sad to say, there has grown up a terrible abuse which threatens to convert the mirth of the day into drunken dissipation,—distorting its harmless hilarity into shameful rioting. Far better were it, many good men begin to feel, considering the excesses which have come to signalize the occasion, that it had never been esteemed otherwise than a common day—one of those in which men go about their daily work, and at night rejoice in the fruit of their labors, with consciences void of offence, and without headaches next morning. But the excesses of the day do not belong of right to its customs. They are an excrescence. It is as if the chased serpent on the lip of the silver basket, piled with luscious fruit, had been metamorphosed into a living and living serpent, with deadly venom in its fang. It behooves all good citizens and lovers of New-Year's enjoyments to do what can be done to redeem the day from its disgrace. People who believe honestly that it is not wise to drink immoderately, nor decent to be drunk, owe a duty to society in this matter. Hundreds and thousands of reputable, godly people, who would scorn, upon another day, to tempt any person to the use of intoxicating liquors, on New-Year's day, furnish their tables with them, and urge their guests to partake. Of those who are in the daily use of wines, we cannot expect better things, but for men and women whose names are authorities among the friends of temperance, sobriety, good order and religion, is it not exceedingly blamable? New-Year's has been a great day for neutralizing the good example of all the old year. Precepts that have stretched through from January Second to December Thirty-first, are annulled by thousands of honest advisers on New-Year's morning. What must the apprentice think of his master, the student of his teacher, the journeyman of his boss, who, having preached abstinence throughout the year, urges him now to indulgence? It is a day when hundreds of young men go out to see which of their grave advisers are hypocrites, and who dare to practice their preachings. It is the day of all others when those who have relapsed into their besetting sin,—the day marked with black in many a young man's career, who dates from it the beginning of his rapid descent.

In the City, on New-Year's day, there are many strangers who spend their first holiday here. Unused to such occasions, very many are tempted during the day into excesses which they have occasion to regret bitterly, and with much mortification, for many years afterwards.

Children are urged,—it must be thoughtlessly,—by the parents and elders of children on whom they call, to take wine with them, expecting that the little ones may make a good report of hospitalities experienced,—sometimes, (this is a Christian City, reader,) to see how the little fellows will act when half fuddled! Very respectable people do it. Heaven save us from contact with such respectability. Parents must be blind who do not treat such offerings to their children as a gross insult and a grievous injury.

In some of our public institutions liquors are set upon the table and freely offered to visitors. Visitors will do well to "spot" their [illegible] servants, who with the prospect of [illegible] expenses for the coming year, and a class that was comfortable but a month ago crowded down to the ranks of [illegible], venture into such immoral expenditures.

There are three Medical Schools in the City. In their faculties are gentlemen of high standing in the community and in the Church. We trust they will not repeat the [illegible] hitherto set before their classes, of tempting them into a debauch by inviting them to partake of intoxicating liquors. Medical students of all others are the most exposed. Away from their homes, with a narrow circle of acquaintance, and so held that the sense of their responsibility is exceedingly light upon them. Gathered here from the various parts of the Union, they naturally feel as one might feel in the heart of Germany without acquaintance—that their doings are matters entirely their own—that the harm they do them is over with the day's debauch. How miserable is the mistake, they are too apt to discover years afterwards. Of all men in the world, physicians should be men of sobriety; and the [illegible] of our Medical Colleges on points so vital as this should be thoroughly sound both in theory and practice. We speak early on this point, before the invitations have been sent to the students, before the liquors have been ordered, or the invitations have been prepared. The gentlemen who cannot be sufficiently entertained from a table groaning with delicacies and sparkling with beverages that have no poison in them, it will be a blessing for any lady to cross out from the list of her friends. If there are any such still here, those no your visitation [illegible] from the board, the ranks of your friends, [illegible] need weeding out.

Help for the Poor.

The certainty that the necessities and sufferings of the Poor are to be immensely increased this Winter, has aroused a corresponding feeling of benevolence among the wealthy portion of our citizens. It has been usual for our rich families at the holiday season to exchange presents among each other, to an extent sometimes involving a cost of several hundred dollars. We have heard of several instances the present season, in which individuals have caused it to be understood in their circle of relatives and friends, that they did not intend to make presents this year, nor did they wish to receive them;—but that they intended to devote the money hitherto used for that *purpose to the relief of the Poor*. If any rich man among us has friends who would not be rejoiced to receive such a message, their friendship lacks the disinterestedness which alone can make it worth having.

The course thus taken in a few instances is worthy of general imitation. The fact is every day pressing itself most painfully upon our notice, that there will be an amount of suffering in this City during the coming Winter, from destitution, far greater than has been known for many years. It is not only the hopelessly and helplessly poor,—the sick, the widowed and the orphaned,—the classes who are always poor, that are to suffer now. The ranks of the destitute are to be swollen by tens of thousands who have hitherto gained a comfortable living by their work, but who are now thrown out of employment, and are thus deprived of the means of earning bread for themselves and the helpless ones dependent on them. The number of persons discharged from employment by large establishments, is really fearful. Every branch of business suffers a depression which renders such a curtailment of its operations necessary. Building in the City is almost wholly suspended, and not *one-fifth* part of the Masons, Carpenters, Joiners, Plasterers, Plumbers, and others who have hitherto found employment at good wages, can now find anything to do at any price. All the trades are equally affected. Ship-builders are almost all out of employment. Two-thirds of the hatters, half the tailors, and more than half the laborers throughout the City have nothing whatever to do. No one can fully realize the dreadful extent of suffering,—the lack of food, of fuel, of clothing, and of all the necessaries of life, which this state of things involves.

The wealthy portion of our people,—those to whom hard times bring only inconvenience,—must face the responsibility which such a crisis brings with it. It is in just such emergencies as this that their usefulness to the world can be made transcendent and conspicuous;—that they can silence the clamors of envy and jealous malignity which are too apt to assail them, and show the mass of the community that it is only Wealth accumulated in just and benevolent hands, that can save society in such a peril as that which is now upon it. They can obtain, during the few months of what we hope will prove a short Winter, a hold upon the respect and affection of the public, from which years of malice cannot dislodge them.

We have great faith in the whole-hearted liberality of our rich men. They only need to be convinced of the necessity and utility of their efforts in the cause of benevolence, to put them forth. There is more genuine charity among the wealthy classes in this country and in this City, than among the same classes elsewhere in the world. The coming Winter will test it to the utmost: but we feel confident of a good result.

Minor Effects of the War.

The war in which England is now engaged is affecting the money-seeking shopkeepers of London in a manner which, on a cursory glance, might not strike the mind of a mere looker-on. The British army has long been looked upon in British society as an excellent school for the younger branches of the aristocracy; they purchase their commissions—serve for a few years—and then retire into private life, receiving what they paid on entering the service, with the advantage of having been subjected to a certain degree of discipline, and sometimes of having seen more of the world, on foreign or colonial service, than in the ordinary course of events would fall to their lot. The regiments in the East are crowded with young officers of this class, and the mortality to which they have been subjected, from battle and disease, has greatly thinned their ranks, and spread desolation over many a household in Britain.

We read, for example, that in the battle of Inkermann, "twenty officers of the Guards were killed." [illegible] of these were members of, or very closely connected with, noble or aristocratic families in the British islands. It is easy to imagine into what deep grief the death—*glorious as it was*—of these young men must have plunged many families. Tender ties roughly divided by the hand of death, [illegible] associations painfully disturbed, parental sorrow which weeps and will not easily be comforted—all these are to be expected. But how few are there who, looking simply at the surface, would think that the traders of London and of other great British cities have deep cause to share in the regret which fills the minds of surviving relatives of the gallant gentlemen who come within the general description of "killed in battle"—yet they are interested, though from a far different cause—through the pocket, though not through the heart.

The great number of [illegible] deaths, during the present war, has thrown nearly one half of the Aristocracy and landed gentry of Britain into mourning. Suppose that one of the Cavendishes is killed. Not only must the Duke of Devonshire, as head of the house, go into mourning, with all his household, but all the great families connected by relationship or marriage with his family, must also assume "the trappings and the signs of woe." This would include the ducal houses of Sutherland and Bedford, and some twenty other noble houses which are offshoots of, or connected by marriage with, that of Cavendish. It is the same way, of course, in other cases. One death may plunge a dozen families into mourning.

While this sable garb is worn—that is from six to twelve months—the wearers do not purchase any of the fashionable and costly attire, by the sale of which the mercery stores in London and elsewhere are supported. A few suits of mourning constitute a wardrobe, whereas, owing to the desire for novelty, the changes of fashion, the desire to be dressed as well (at least) as one's neighbors, and the natural tendency of the wealthy to expend money on dress, ten times that quantity of ordinary attire would form the season's supply, under other circumstances. And so, in that part of London which Byron called "the West and worst end," and indeed throughout all that particular trade everywhere, the shopkeepers are loud in their lament over the dullness, the decline of business. Unless they make sales, they cannot pay rent, taxes, shopmen, clerks, and the expenses of living, and, while the war proceeds in its fatal decimation, it is obvious that, mourning becoming more and more general, all the fancy stocks, laid in at great expense, on the calculation of being sold with the wonted heavy profits, must remain on hand, to the ruin of the trade.

Thus, paradoxical as the assertion might appear at first, the London shopkeepers have the strongest cause—that of self-interest—to be dissatisfied with a war, the fatal casualties of which deprive them of the greater portion of their business and profits.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Nicholson Claim and the Opinion of the Attorney-General—Mr. Banks and Americanism.

Special Correspondence of the N. Y. Daily Times.

WASHINGTON, Tuesday, Dec. 19, 1854.

I fear I did unintentional injustice to Attorney-General Cushing, in my letter published in yesterday's Times, wherein I stated that he had given no "formal" opinion of the legality of Judge Nicholson's claim for $15,000, under the action of Congress providing 20 per cent. additional compensation to the employés in the Legislative department of the Government. I did not intend to infer that he had given an *informal* opinion on that subject. He has given no opinion of any sort, written or verbal, in the case; and I have reason to know that he carefully avoids even giving or intimating any opinion upon a subject likely to be referred to him by any department of the Government, or capable of being so referred, until it has been formally presented for such purpose. This is as it should be. The Attorney-General of the United States is a sort of semi-judicial officer. He never should occupy the position of a mere advocate. His business is not to enable the Government to get rid of an obligation justly or unjustly,—but to secure justice, so far as money be, between the Government and the citizen. That Mr. Cushing thus appreciates the duties of his responsible position, is evident from his briefs of United States cases, and his arguments before the Supreme Court. The duties of his office are very laborious; but he is one of the hardest workers in the Government, and keeps the business up with remarkable closeness. How he does this is told by the midnight lamp, which I frequently notice when passing his office window.

There is a good deal of comment indulged in today relative to the speech made yesterday in the House by Hon. Mr. Banks, of Massachusetts. Mr. B., you know, is a "Freesoil" Democrat, who voted right on the Nebraska issue every time but [illegible], and who has been [illegible] to Congress by the Know-Nothings. His speech was mainly [illegible] of the [illegible] and the [illegible] of what he considered the controlling influence in the recent Massachusetts election. With reference to the first of these points, I have nothing to say. Mr. Banks has a perfect right to his own views of the party which elected him; and so far, he undoubtedly expressed truly the sentiments of his constituents. And what was most remarkable in his speech was, his careful avoidance of the Slavery question in any and every shape. The very recollection of the Nebraska bill was ignored by him. He did not recognize it in the slightest degree as an issue in the late election in Massachusetts, or as influencing a single vote there. Is it possible, I ask, that this studied avoidance of an issue which, more than all others combined, has a hold upon the hearts of the people of New-England, can be sustained by Mr. Banks at home? And how will Mr. B. excuse it? What was his object in thus forgetting the question upon which, above all others, he has made his political position? Is it to be understood that in Massachusetts "Americanism" has absorbed the question of Freedom, and that the latter is to be buried and forgotten? I do not believe it. Nor do I believe the American party in Mr. Banks' district would have sustained him—or will sustain him now, except he is true as steel on the great principle of which he was originally chosen a special exponent. The freemen of Massachusetts will not believe him, when he claims for the opposition to the money power the credit of their rebuke of the National Administration, and smothers the great fact that they were striking for the issues of Freedom as well. Mr. Banks' course may make it a little easier for Southern Pro-Slavery Know-Nothings to vote for him for Speaker of the next House; but, if he falls off [illegible], it will not make him United States Senator. The "American Party" is powerful in Massachusetts, but its members, I take it, are not become Slavery Propagandists.

Mr. Brodhead made an interesting speech in the Senate to-day, in support of the proposition to send an expedition to the Arctic Ocean, to relieve Dr. Kane and his little party, who are searching there for tidings of Sir John Franklin. Judge Kane, of Philadelphia, the father of the adventurous philanthropist in command of the missing expedition, was present listening to the speech. Is it not disgraceful that Congress so long delays a decision upon this proposition? I venture to say that both Houses will adjourn over for the holidays without having taken any definite action on the subject; and while the hardy adventurers who are absent on their hazardous mission of humanity may be perishing for want of timely aid, [illegible] M. C.'s will be participating in thoughtless merriment and jollifications on eight dollars a day! Whatever Congress may decide, their decision should be given at once. If the nation cannot afford to send relief to her brave adventurers, for Heaven's sake let us know it at once, gentlemen members, that private philanthropy may undertake the duty it should be the nation's pride to fulfill.

The Shanghai line of steamers will probably be urged in the House very soon, as the Senate bill passed last session—but it will fail. The Senate bill to establish a [illegible] telegraph line to the Pacific, however, will probably pass. B.

Alton Locke's *Hypatia*; *Or, New Foes With an Old Face*, has reached its second edition. We do not wonder at it. It is a fascinating picture of the life which was lived fourteen hundred years ago.

Musical.

Academy of Music.—A perfect and beautiful performance of "La Favorita" last night gratified an audience more select than numerous. The hard times and the cold weather probably had something to do with the thinness of the house; but there is also an inexplicable indifference to the termination of the Grisi and Mario engagement, not altogether creditable to our taste.

We can add nothing to what we have already written on the subject of this Opera, except that last night it went without the slightest hitch, and was thoroughly excellent. Both Grisi and Mario were in superb voice.

To-morrow evening, "Lucia di Lammermoor" will be produced here for the first time. Madame Bertucca Maretzek has been engaged for the occasion, and will play *Lucia*. Mario is of course the *Edgardo*. In addition to this attractive bill, the first act of "Norma" will be played, with Grisi in the immortal *Casta Diva*.

Surely this programme will fill the house. It has never been equaled, and never will be.

A Complimentary Concert for the benefit of Mr. Lazare takes place to-night at the Seventh-street M. E. Church. We commend it to the attention of those who are acquainted with the beneficiary.

Reinforcements for the Crimea.

The *Journal des Debats* sums up as follows the movements of troops which, in a short time, are to put the allied army before Sebastopol in a position to defy all the reinforcements which the Russians can receive:

"Four new divisions, of 11,600 men each, are assembled upon a war footing, and on the march with their artillery, the troops *de genie* their *materiel* of administration, ambulance and transport. A division in our military establishment, is so organized that it carries within itself all the elements of war, of industrial labor, of succor and shelter, which can insure the efficiency and health of the troops in a campaign. As respects this, the English have rendered full justice to our organization, since they have been encamped side by side with us.

"Of the four divisions which the Emperor is now sending to the East, the first two must at this moment have, for the most part, embarked at Toulon, where vessels and steamers of large size were prepared to receive them. The passage to the Crimea at this season requires ten or fifteen days. These 22,000 men will be able, then, to reach Sebastopol about the 10th of next month. Prince Menschikoff, in one of his reports some time since, estimated the allied army at 50,000 only. We believe that it then numbered at least 60,000; a number much inferior to that of the Russian army, estimated at 80,000, and increased now to 100,000.

"It has been seen, however, that, notwithstanding this inferiority of numbers, the English and the French, the English especially, at Inkermann, twice beat the Russians, who rushed in heavy masses upon our lines.

"The Russian losses were enormous. The allied army also suffered losses, but the Anglo-French troops have not ceased to receive almost daily reinforcements. Detachments of various strength, from Algiers, Corfu, Malta and Gallipoli, without counting the sick and wounded who are cured and who are being sent from Constantinople to rejoin their corps. By means of these daily replacements the Anglo-French army must have been maintained at the number of 60,000 combatants, without counting the Turks, who do not figure in the lines of battle, but whose special services are none the less indispensable for the success of a campaign.

"Besides the two French divisions, amounting to 22,000 men, which will speedily join the army, A division of 8 or 9,000 is to be sent from England.

"Volunteers are being enlisted into the militia to be formed into regiments which will replace and thus render disposable for the Eastern Army, the regiments of the line in garrison in several cities of England, as well as in the fortresses of the Mediterranean, Gibraltar, Malta and Corfu.

"The Allied Army may, therefore, in a little time, be raised to 90,000 men. Till then, we are persuaded that the excellent troops of the two nations so inured to hard service by this rude campaign, and whose morale is exalted by victory, will be able [illegible].

"Besides the two divisions destined to the Crimea, two other French divisions, and probably also an English division will soon embark, destined to join Omer Pacha's army upon the Pruth, for the purpose of attacking the Russians in the heart of Bessarabia, thus making a powerful diversion which cannot fail to have its consequences in the Crimea and under the walls of Sebastopol."

ARREST OF BELGIAN CONVICTS.

Capture of Twelve Felons by the Police—Exciting Scene at Quarantine.

Yesterday morning a highly important arrest of twelve convicts, sent to the United States at the expense of the Belgian Government, was effected *by Sergeant Bell of the Mayor's Office, and Officers Newman and Freund*.

During the past two years a large number of English felons have arrived here from Botany Bay, whom the authorities of the Old World liberated from confinement, and paid their passage to this port to get rid of them. In the course of the past Summer about fifty of these notorious thieves were captured, and returned. By the mails received per *Pacific*, last week, Collector Redfield received dispatches from A. F. Gale, Esq., United States Consul at Antwerp, placing him in possession of information relative to the importation of several able-bodied men, who were convicts in the Belgian prisons, and sentenced to serve long terms. Their crimes ranged from petit larcenies to robberies on the highway.

In communicating with the Collector, the Consul states that the authorities of Antwerp recently debated the question of the expediency and cheapness of instituting prison deliveries and sending the culprits to America. It seems that our Consul was [illegible] by the Governor of the Province of Antwerp upon his communicating with him. We copy below the important portions of the Consul's letter to Collector Redfield:

"In regard to [illegible] of the men alluded to, my [illegible] that no Government, as their own [illegible] would send away men to a foreign land, in the prime of life, and capable of performing military duty, which by law is imposed upon every subject above a certain age in Belgium. The Captain of the *Rochambeau* having protested, at this Consulate, against the illegality of carrying said passengers, I most earnestly remonstrated with the Governor of the Province of Antwerp; and in regard to the shipment of convicts, I then demanded, as a right, security that they should not become a charge to any city or county in the United States. In reply to this demand the Governor informed me that Capt. Stackpole had received a letter addressed to the Belgian Consul in New-York, from the Inspector of the Emigration Service, 'a royal officer,' with instructions to take care that said Belgian subjects did not become chargeable to the City of New-York. Said persons are provided with passports *from the Belgian Government*. This information from the Governor has excited my suspicions, especially as it was once discussed in the Legislature of Belgium, 'whether it would not be better to send to the United States all criminals at Government expense,' rather than to maintain them at home."

On receipt of this letter, the information was imparted to the Commissioners of Emigration in this City, and Sergeant Bell was deputed to take charge of the matter and watch for the vessel having the convicts on board. The officer made arrangements to secure the prisoners upon their arrival off Staten Island. About daylight yesterday morning he received intelligence that the packet-ship *Rochambeau*, Capt. Stackpole, had reached Quarantine, with these felons and other passengers on board. With two aids, Mr. Bell went on board the ship.

The convicts, suspecting the officers were in pursuit of them, were much alarmed. The captain of the ship was on shore, and the rascals being aware of this fact, attempted to resist, but after some trouble and scuffling they were all taken into custody, and brought up to the City. A hearing took place before Judge Bebee, at the City Hall, last evening.

On examining the persons of the men several passports entitling them to travel through the United States were found concealed in their under clothing. They were thoroughly questioned, by the assistance of an interpreter, as to the manner of their leaving the old country; and declared that they had not been prisoners in Belgium, but paid their own passage money. Finding, however, that their statements were not believed, one of the party *confessed* the whole affair, divulging the particulars of the system recently adopted by the Belgian Government. Prison clothing, used in their cells at home, were sent with them.

The names of the parties are as follows:

	Ages.		Ages.
Jacques Golle	18	Felix Bagie	24
J. Baptist Mace	30	John Wagemans	30
Joseph Wers	19	John De L. Hage	40
J. Baptist Perry	45	Charles Van Houck	30
Guillaume Ver[illegible]gen	32	Lambert Joerissen	24
Joseph Fuloman	30	Pierre Maes	34

They were temporarily committed to await further action.

The State law makes the owners, assignees, and Captains of all vessels liable to a heavy fine and imprisonment, (one or both,) upon proof of their bringing convicts from any foreign country and landing them on our shores.

The *Rochambeau* sailed from Antwerp on the 2d of November with 226 passengers, (including the prisoners,) consigned to Messrs. F. W. Schmidt & Co., shipping merchants in Wall-street.

Besides the convicts, the authorities at Antwerp also sent out upwards of *one hundred paupers*, who are thus thrown into a strange land without means of subsistence. As the officers were leaving the vessel with the twelve men in charge, these unfortunate people implored them with tears to bring them up to the City, but the request was of course refused.

Intense Cold—The Poor.

The low temperature of Tuesday night was very remarkable. The telegraph informs us that the thermometer marked 18° below zero at Albany. In this City it ranged from 4° above to 4° below, during Tuesday night. The cold was intense, and the mercury sank more despondingly than it has before done this Winter. Ice formed upon the windows of the City cars and stages, so that it was absolutely impossible to see the landmarks until the window or the door had been opened. Jack Frost had everything his own way all that night,—laid embargoes upon water everywhere,—caused a general shrinkage into immense wrappers,—occasioned a brisk run upon warming compounds, of inward as well as outward application,—and finally induced such a remarkable disappearance of all pedestrians that not even a drunken rowdy was to be seen on Broadway after midnight.

Innumerable crowds of poor people, without means or employment, throng the streets daily, seeking for labor or pecuniary aid. Of the Trades of the City, scarcely one is now prosecuted to the extent that is usual at this season of the year. Many large manufacturing establishments having been compelled to retrench expenditures, the number of persons who are thrown out of mechanical employment is probably five or six thousand in New-York alone. Gaunt men wander nightly into the coffee-shops which keep open house until daylight, begging for a chance to thaw the ice from their garments and dispel the frosts that bind their sinews. Coal is high, provisions are held at exorbitant prices, and rents do not fall, be the times never so hard.

A Municipal appropriation of $10,000 for the benefit of the unemployed Poor of the City has been voted by the Board of Councilmen, and now remains to be acted upon by the Aldermen. The money proposed to be expended is to be placed in the hands of the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor. The amount is to be considered in the light of a direct donation, the Common Council having made no provision for commencing City works which could give employment to those who need it. Whether some action of this nature be judicious or not, is a question for serious consideration. If any projected improvement can be so managed that the unemployed [illegible] can be employed to advantage, [illegible] the object of relief will be gained still more thoroughly. [illegible] may not be possible, but if it is in any degree practicable, the movement would be really charitable.

As it is, beggars beset the citizens at every step,—willing to work, but failing to find the means. Many of these people will borrow, beg or steal, as the honest must choose, if their sufferings are not relieved.

☞ A Fair is in preparation in aid of the new building now being erected for the use of Grace Church, Williamsburg. Owing to the pressure of the times it is becoming very difficult to collect funds sufficient for the prosecution of the enterprise. So far as the work has gone we are assured that it has been done with the utmost economy and good judgment. The Fair referred to is noticed in our advertising columns.

Crystal Palace Market.

To the Editor of the New-York Daily Times:

The question is often asked, "What is to be done with the Crystal Palace?" Permit one of the daily readers of your valuable journal to suggest that it be purchased by the City Corporation and converted into a public market. The growth of the City has long needed a *large, central distributing market*, where the smaller market-men and grocers may find all their supplies—while, at the same time, a population of some 200,000 or 300,000 might conveniently purchase their daily family marketing. The first floor of the building would answer for all heavy and coarse articles, while the *galleries* would be admirably suited for all the lighter commodities.

Branch Railroads from the Hudson River and Harlem Roads might be made, whereby cars laden *with country produce could deposit their freight* at the doors of the market. Suitable wharfs for boats laden also with produce might be prepared opposite the market, on the North River.

A large market thus situated, and properly supplied, would at once divert the thousands of carts and wagons of the market-men and grocers from Broadway and other narrow and crowded streets in the lower part of the City, thereby at once effectually affording the relief to those streets so much desired and needed.

If the above suggestion meets with the approbation of the citizens, they can easily express the same through the public papers and by signing petitions to the City authorities.

If, however, it be preferred that it be retained as a City or State Museum, somewhat on the plan of the *British Museum*, in which to collect extensive *cabinets of minerals, plants, animals*, and other natural curiosities, especially of the American Continent; to which should be added a large public library, and an exhibition department for all kinds of works of art—it would give universal satisfaction, not only to every person in our City, but throughout the whole Union.

The Palace is a *New-York building*, a credit and an ornament to our City, and as such it *should remain*. Under no circumstances should the citizens of New-York permit the Crystal Palace to be taken down and transferred to Boston, Philadelphia, or any other city. Let it be retained, either to subserve the interests of Science, the Arts and human progress, or that of our daily wants and necessities. At all events, *let it remain for the New-York public* good. J. L. T. D.

New-York, Dec. 19, 1854.

Free Libraries for the People.

To the Editor of the N. Y. Daily Times:

I have read with great [illegible] your own and your correspondent's remarks on the subject of Free Libraries for the People, and take the liberty of offering a hint on it.

The times would [illegible] to any movement involving large amounts of money at the present moment. In the mean time could not something effectual be done immediately, and at comparatively small outlay, by enlarging the libraries of our Ward-Schools, and opening them to the use of the people, not as reading rooms, but as lending libraries.

The addition of a few hundred volumes of history, biography, travels, works of science, &c., to each of these libraries at convenient distances from every man's home, as they are, would be of great service, and could soon be collected and provided, if this plan should be well thought of and approved by those having care of the schools.

Another important result would follow this plan. The parents of many of the children would become acquainted with the teachers, and the mode of conducting the schools, and their interest in the improvement of the children increased.

The propriety of establishing more extensive institutions may be considered, and plans matured, to be carried out hereafter, when the times are more propitious. I offer this for consideration.

New-York, Dec. 19, 1854. A. F. H.

Possible Relic of the Steamship City of Glasgow.—The following is extracted from a recent number of the Bolinas (Ireland) *Northern Whig*: "A correspondent of the *Mail* at Campbeltown, states that on Saturday last, while a boat boy was walking along the shore at Polliechonie, he picked up a portion of the bow of a vessel, which bears every mark of having belonged to the ill-fated steamer. It has on it, in large gilded characters, not much defaced, 'City of Glasgow,' and in the corner, 'Let Glasgow flourish.' This memento, which is probably all that will ever be seen of the noble vessel, was taken to the office of Mr. Watson, from whence it was forwarded to the builders, Messrs. Tod & McGregor, Glasgow, for identification."

BUSINESS NOTICES.

FESTIVAL HAT.—THE INTRODUCTION OF NEW Patterns in Gentlemen's Dress Hats for the Annual Festival of Christmas Holidays, [illegible]

LEARY & CO., Astor House, Leaders and Introducers of Fashion for Gentlemen's Hats.

FURS, HATS, CAPS, &c.—AT THE WEST END FASHIONABLE HAT AND CAP EMPORIUM—Gentlemen's, Youths' and Children's Winter Fashions for Hats and Caps now ready. Attention is called to our large assortment of Children's Hats, Caps, &c.

J. W. KELLOGG, No. [illegible] Canal-st.

HOLIDAY PRESENTS.—SPECIAL NOTICE.—In consequence of the recent destruction by fire of the rear of the great Fancy Store of H. S. ROGERS, No. [illegible] Broadway, [illegible]

H. S. ROGERS, Fancy Bazaar, No. [illegible] Broadway.

NEW MUSIC.—"TO-MORROW! TO-MORROW!" Ballad, as sung by Mr. Burnett in the character of [illegible] [illegible] Price 25 cents. "A Noble's Daughter," Ballad, also sung in the same piece. Price 25 cents.

HORACE WATERS, Publisher, No. 333 Broadway.

WET AND COLD FEET PREVENTED.—THE NORTH AMERICAN GUTTA PERCHA COMPANY, No. [illegible] Broadway, are now prepared to apply their PATENT VULCANIZED GUTTA PERCHA SOLING to Boots and Shoes. [illegible]

A CASE OF INSANITY.—THE ATROCIOUS PUNster who stated "there wasn't a devil of the whole Hun province" [illegible] KNOX [illegible] KNOX'S establishments are at No. 128 Fulton-st., and No. [illegible] Broadway, [illegible]

LACE AND MUSLIN CURTAINS FROM AUCTION.—KELTY & FERGUSON, No. [illegible] Broadway, [illegible]

SUIT CLOTHING.—OUR LARGE STOCK OF [illegible] D. DEVLIN & CO.

E. ROSENBLATT [illegible] [illegible]

HEAVY ALL WOOL UNDER-SHIRTS AND DRAWERS of all sizes.—With every description of Merino, Cotton and Silk Under-Garments, Cravats, Stocks, Scarfs, Gloves of every description, Canes, Leggins, Carpet Bags, Jackets, at McLAUGHLIN'S, No. [illegible] Greenwich-st., corner of Chambers.

HOLIDAY GIFTS.—AMONG THE SUBSCRIBERS' assortment will be found Prize Medallions from the World's Fair, rich Tortoise-shell Dress Combs, Portable Dressing Cases [illegible], and a large variety of Fancy Cutlery.

A. & J. SAUNDERS, No. [illegible] Broadway.

SINGLE HATS AT WHOLESALE PRICES.—MOLEskin, very fine and beautiful finish, equal to any four dollar hat in the City. Those that desire may save a dollar or more by making a call (when in want of a hat) at the New Hat Company, Nos. 146 and 149 Nassau-st. Soft hats, and all other fancy styles, equally low.

THE TABLE SWING KETTLE.—THEY ARE LArge serving articles, and all the good housekeeping ladies vote for them; they are ornamental to the table, and withal so cheap that families cannot well afford to dispense with them. Manufactured and for sale at Nos. 4 and 6 Burling-slip, by LUCIUS HART.

OVERCOATS, TALMAS, BUSINESS COATS, DRESS AND FROCK COATS, &c.—We are closing out our elegant stock of the above garments at greatly reduced prices.

D. DEVLIN & CO., Nos. [illegible] Broadway, cor. Warren-st.

THE LAUGHABLE OPERATIC EXTRAVAGANZA of DON GIOVANNI at [illegible] [illegible]

CELEBRATED PIANOS AND MELODEONS.—[illegible] HORACE WATERS, No. 333 Broadway.

GREAT SALE OF FURS.—DARK RUSSIAN MINK Capes and Cuffs for $15, $20, and $25; [illegible] GENIN, No. 214 Broadway, Opposite St. Paul's Church.

THE SMITHSONIAN HOUSE.—ON THE EUROPEAN PLAN, Broadway, corner of Houston-st.—Rooms to rent by the day, and with parlors adjoining, $1 additional. The proprietor invites the patronage of [illegible] advertisement under "Hotels," in this paper.

TAKING STOCK.—FROM NOW TILL THE FIRST of January, we will offer our large and elegant stock of Winter Clothing at very low figures, to close the season.

D. DEVLIN & CO., Nos. 258, 259 and 260 Broadway, cor. Warren-st.

WEDDING CARDS.—AN ASSORTMENT OF EVERDELL'S elegant Engraved Wedding Cards, Envelopes, &c., can be had on application, or sent by post to any part of the country. JAMES EVERDELL, No. 302 Broadway, corner of Duane-st.

SWEDISH HAIR CREATOR.—THESE VEGETABLE preparations, comprising a Bottle of Liquid and Jar of Pomade, are for sale by all the principal druggists, and at the Depot, No. 269 Broadway, corner of Warren-st. Price $1 for the two. Sent to any part of the United States.

ROBES DE CHAMBRE, EMBROIDERED SMOKING JACKETS, GENTLEMEN'S SHAWLS, &c.—A very superb stock of the above for Holiday Presents, at very reduced prices.

D. DEVLIN & CO., Nos. 258, 259 and 260 Broadway, cor. Warren-st.

HOLIDAY HATS.—THE NEW AND UNIQUE HAT manufactured by RAFFERTY & LEASK is just the article for the holidays; [illegible]

AT THE FULTON WINE VAULTS, No. 20 FULTON-st., they sell pure Wines and Liquors [illegible]

ALBERT H. NICOLAY WILL HOLD HIS REGULAR semi-weekly auction sale of Stocks and Bonds THIS DAY, at 12½ o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange. For further particulars, see his advertisement in another column.

DECEMBER 20, 1854.—TO THE PUBLIC.—YOU ARE invited to call and examine [illegible]

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Ladies' Fair.—THE LADIES OF THE REFORMED DUTCH CHURCH OF SEVENTH-AVENUE, purpose holding a FAIR for the sale of Useful and Fancy Articles, the proceeds of which will be for the benefit of their Church. It will be opened on the AFTERNOON and EVENING of SATURDAY, 23d inst., and continued on CHRISTMAS in the basement of the Church. All the agents of Santa Claus are invited to attend.

Fruit and Ornamental Trees and Plants.—Including everything necessary to the Garden, Greenhouse, Nursery and Orchard, with all the recent introductions, at very low rates. Descriptive price Catalogues gratis. Carriage paid to New-York. Ornamental and other planting done in any part of the country. Address B. M. WATSON, Old Colony Nurseries, Plymouth, Mass.

Redding's Russian Salve—25 Cents a Box—A Boston remedy of 30 years' standing—a sure and speedy cure for Burns, Sores, Boils and all external injuries; recommended by physicians. Sold by all druggists in the United States. A. B. & D. SANDS, C. V. CLICKENER & CO., C. H. RING, New-York; and WM. E. ZIEBER, Philadelphia.

Notice.—Ticket holders for the Anniversary of the Ancient Order of Friendship, are hereby notified that, in consequence of the Burning of the City Assembly Rooms, the Ball will be held on THURSDAY EVENING, Jan. 11, 1855, at the Chinese Assembly Rooms, No. 539 Broadway.
J. BILYEU, Jr., Secretary.

Artificial Rangers' Club, Attention.—In consequence of the destruction of the City Assembly Rooms on the 19th inst., the Ball of the above Club will take place at Brooks' Assembly Rooms, No. 361 Broome-st., between Mott and Elizabeth-sts., on THURSDAY EVENING, Dec. 21.

New-England Society of the City of New-York.—FORTY-EIGHTH ANNIVERSARY.—This Society proposes to celebrate the two hundred and thirty-fourth Anniversary of the Landing of the Pilgrims, on THURSDAY, the 21st inst., by an address from WM. M. EVARTS, Esq., and other appropriate services, at the Church of the Messiah, Broadway, at 7½ o'clock P. M., and a dinner at the Astor House on the day following (the 22d,) at 6 o'clock, P. M. Hon. WILLIAM H. SEWARD has accepted an invitation to attend, and other distinguished speakers will be present. Tickets to the dinner may be obtained from each of the undersigned:
HARVEY P. PEET, CHARLES A. STETSON, WILLIAM CURTIS NOYES, PAUL BABCOCK, E. A. HURLBUT, LUTHER B. WYMAN, Committee of Arrangements.
NEW-YORK, Dec. 12, 1854.

At an adjourned Meeting of the officers of all the City Railroads, held on the 18th of October, 1854, the following resolution was passed. Resolved, That at expiration of the the term for which Free Tickets are now out the system will be abrogated, and no more issued to pass any person free over either of the City Railroads named below.
NICHOLAS DEAN, Pres. N. Y. & Harlem Railroad.
DENTON PEARSALL, Pres. 2d-av. Railroad.
WM. A. DARLING, Pres. 3d-av. Railroad.
JAMES S. LIBBY, Pres. 6th-av. Railroad.
OLIVER CHARLOCK, 8th-av. Railroad.
D. F. [illegible], Secretary.

Balm of Thousand Flowers.
Have you tried the Balm of Thousand Flowers!
'Tis a glorious gift to this world of ours;
It cleans the skin till each blush shines through
Like a rosy gleam on the morning dew;
It abolishes Freckles and Pimples and Tan,
It beautifies Woman, gives comfort to Man;
Renders shaving a luxury, banishes soon
All Blotches and stains like dark clouds from the moon,
And would you the far-famed manufacturer know
When Boston you visit seek—FETRIDGE & Co.
Sold by C. H. RING, No. 192 Broadway; and by all Druggists. Price 50 cents.

At a Meeting of Niagara Engine Company, No. 4, held at the Engine House after their return from the fire at the City Assembly Rooms, the following resolution was unanimously adopted. Resolved, That a vote of thanks be tendered to Mr. C. E. SMITH, of No. 36 Howard-st., and Mrs. LUCKEY, of No. 33 Howard-st., for the liberal supply of refreshments furnished, and their kindness to us at the fire of the City Assembly Rooms, on the morning of Dec. 20, 1854.
THOMAS LEAVY, Chairman.
ALBERT H. COOKE, Secretary.

Mercantile Library Association.—SCIENTIFIC LECTURES.—Prof. ALEXANDER, of Princeton, will deliver a Lecture at Clinton Hall THIS EVENING, at 8 o'clock. Subject—The sustenance of the visible creation. Tickets 25 cents each—to be had at Clinton Hall and at No. 3 Nassau-st. Prof. ALEXANDER will also lecture on TUESDAY EVENING.
DOUGLAS LEFFINGWELL, FRANK W. BALLARD, JOHN CREBAR, Lecture Committee.

Twenty-second Ward.—The Whigs of the XXIId Ward will hold a primary election at the Union Cottage, Broadway, near 44th-st., from 3 to 9 o'clock P. M., Dec. 22, by order of the General Committee. The Ward Committee elected will meet the first THURSDAY in January, at the above place, at 7½ o'clock P. M.
GEORGE M. DENNETT, WM. V. LEGGET, CHAS. MISSING, Inspectors.

A Special Meeting of the Board of Engineers and Foremen of the New-York Fire Department will be held at Stuyvesant Institute, No. 659 Broadway, THIS (Thursday) EVENING, at 7½ o'clock, to make arrangements for the funeral of our lamented associate, J. LOWERE, of Hose Company No. 1, who lost his life while in discharge of his duties as a fireman, on the morning of the 20th inst. By order, ALFRED CARSON, Chief Engineer.
JAMES F. WENMAN, Secretary.

German Lectures.—The second of the series of lectures will be delivered by Dr. A. WIESNER at Hope Chapel, No. 718 Broadway, on THURSDAY EVENING, Dec. 21, at 8 o'clock. Subject—Socialism in der [illegible] Englischen Revolution und unter Cromwell. Tickets for the course, $1 50; single tickets, 25 cents. To be had at the door; of Schaerfenberg & Luis, No. 722 Broadway; B. Westermann & Co., No. 290 Broadway; L. W. Schmidt, No. 191 William-st.; C. F. Guenther, No. 14 North William-st.; Dang, No. 65 Bowery.

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Jan. 18.—JAMES T. BRADY, Esq.—Trial by Jury.
J. A. BUNTING, Chairman.

Masonic Notice.—The members of Eastern Star Lodge, No. 227, are hereby summoned to attend a regular communication of the Lodge, THIS (Thursday) EVENING, at the corner of Broadway and Bleecker-sts., at 7½ o'clock. The annual election will take place. By order of the W. M.
JOHN HANNAH, Secretary.

Masonic Notice.—The brethren of Pacific Lodge, No. 233, F. and A. M., are hereby notified that the annual election of officers, and other important business will be brought before the Lodge at a communication of THURSDAY, the 21st inst., at 7½ P. M. Punctual attendance is requested. By order of the W. M.
J. R. MILLER, Secretary.

Ladies' Fair.—The Fair in aid of the Building Fund of the Church of St. John Baptist, (Episcopal,) is now open, and will so continue every day and evening of this week. Admission free. On SATURDAY EVENING, 23d inst., there will be an auction sale of the articles not previously disposed of. The Fair is held in the building on the southeast corner of Broadway and 23d-st.

Dr. James McCune Smith will lecture in Hope Chapel Lecture-room (Broadway) on THURSDAY EVENING, Dec. 21, 1854. Subject—The Nature and Limits of Human Progress. To commence at 8 o'clock. Tickets 25 cents. To be had at the door.

Mount Vernon.—A meeting of Industrial Home Association, No. 1, will be held at Earle Hall, corner of Chrystie and Delancey-sts., on THURSDAY EVENING, Dec. 21, at 7½ o'clock, by request of Committee.
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JAS. M. COOK, Comptroller.
E. W. LEAVENWORTH, Secretary of State.
WM. PARMELEE, Mayor of Albany.
W. A. YOUNG, Recorder of Albany.

SCATTERING VOTES.

ALBANY COUNTY.—Horatio Seamore received 2; M. H. Clark received 1; [illegible] Seymour received 3; H. C. Mero received 1; H. Seymour received 2; Hor. Seymour received 1; [illegible] Governor Ullmann received 1; [illegible] Erastus Corning received 1; D. Ullman received 1; Blank received 14.

ALLEGANY COUNTY.—G. C. Bronson received 1; H. Seymour received 2; M. H. Clark received 2; H. Clark received 1; [illegible] Goodell received 15.

CATTARAUGUS COUNTY.—William Goodell received 3; [illegible] Hiram H. Clark received 1.

CAYUGA COUNTY.—Seymour received 4; M. H. Clark received 1; [illegible] Seymour received 1; Sam received 1; [illegible] D. Ullman received 1; Wm. Goodell received 1; Henry Seymour received 3; [illegible] Horatio Seymour received 1; H. Seymour received 2; Dan. Ullman received 3; H. Ullman received 1; My. H. Clark received 1.

CHAUTAUQUE COUNTY.—William Goodell received 7; M. H. Clark received 2; G. C. Bronson received 1; [illegible]

[illegible] COUNTY.—Austin Ward received 1.

CHENANGO COUNTY.—G. Bronson received 1; H. Seymour received 2; Seymour received 1; Francis Granger received 1; William Goodell received 3; [illegible] received 1; Daniel Hillman received 1; Dr. Ullman received 1.

CLINTON COUNTY.—William Goodell received 26; [illegible] received 1; M. H. Clark received 1; H. Seymour received 6.

COLUMBIA COUNTY.—M. H. Clark received 1; H. Seymour received 2; Horat. Seymour received 1; [illegible] Horatio N. Seymour received 1; [illegible] Myron C. Clark received 1; [illegible]

CORTLAND COUNTY.—William Goodell received 12.

DELAWARE COUNTY.—William Goodell received 3; Myron Seymour received 1; Seymour Clark received 1; [illegible] Pratt received 1; Seymour received 2.

DUTCHESS COUNTY.—Preston King received 1; [illegible] Myron Clark received 3; Miner H. Clark received 1; [illegible]

ERIE COUNTY.—H. Seymour received 3; H. N. Seymour received 1; M. H. Clark received 1; Wm. Goodell received 3; John Hughes received 1; Governor Bronson received 3; Blank received 18; [illegible]

ESSEX COUNTY.—William Goodell received 16; [illegible] Myron H. Clark received 1; Myron Clark received 1; [illegible] D. Dullman received 1.

FRANKLIN COUNTY.—Seymour received 3; G. Seymour received 2; M. H. Clark received 1.

FULTON AND HAMILTON COUNTIES.—H. Seymour received 4; William Goodell received 3; M. H. Clark received 1; G. C. Bronson received 1; D. Ullman received 1.

GENESEE COUNTY.—Seymour received 1; M. H. Clark received 5; H. Seymour received 4; Horatio H. Seymour received 1; Myron Clark received 3; William Goodell received 2.

GREENE COUNTY.—Millard Fillmore received 1; Clark received 1; John Morgan received 1; Jacob J. Reynolds received 1.

HERKIMER COUNTY.—William Goodell received 12; Myron Clark received 1; Clark received 1; Myron Clark received 1; Seymour received 2; Oratio Seymour received 2; M. Clark received 1; Myron C. Clark received 1; [illegible] G. C. Bronson received 1; Col. F. P. Bellinger received 1; Miron C. Clark received 1; My. H. Clark received 1; M. H. Clark received 2; David Ullman received 1; M. H. Clark received 2.

JEFFERSON COUNTY.—H. Seymour received 11; [illegible] William Goodell received 1; [illegible] Myron Clark received 1; [illegible]

KINGS COUNTY.—Seamon received 1; Scattering received 3; [illegible] Myron Clark received 1; W. Earle Arnold received 1; H. Seymour received 2; Seymour received 2; [illegible] Clark received 1; [illegible] Samuel J. Ullman received 1; Hicks Post received 1; William Goodell received 4; John H. Johnson received 1; D. Ullman received 4.

LEWIS COUNTY.—Horatio received 1; Oratio Seymour received 1; Seymour received 1; Hora Seymour received 1; [illegible] H. Seymour received 2; [illegible] M. H. Clark received 1.

LIVINGSTON COUNTY.—William Goodell received 6; [illegible] Seymour received 1; Seymour received 2; M. Clark received 1; L. Seymour received 1; G. C. Bronson received 1; H. Seymour received 2; M. H. Clark received 1; [illegible] Blank received 3; Clark received 1; Myron Clark received 1; Green Seymour received 2; Henry Seymour received 1.

MADISON COUNTY.—William Goodell received 66; E. P. Clark received 1; Gerrit Smith received 1; Preston King received 2; Seymour received 1; Hiram H. Clark received 1; [illegible] received 2; Myron H. Clark received 1; [illegible] Seymour received 1; M. H. Clark received 1; Hiram Brown received 1; Henry C. Goodwin received 1; Seymour received 1; Clark received 1.

MONROE COUNTY.—William Goodell received 10; M. H. Clark received 4; Mar. Clark received 1; Oratio Seymour received 1; Seymour received 2; O. Seymour received 1; D. Ullman received 1; Preston King received 1; Blank received 2.

NEW-YORK COUNTY.—William Goodell received 1; H. Seymour received 3; Mr. Seymour received 1; Daniel Seymour received 1; H. O. Seamore received 1; F. A. Seymour received 1; Myron Clark received 1; M. Clark received 1; H. H. Clark received 1; G. C. Bronson received 1; Scattering votes 138.

NIAGARA COUNTY.—William Goodell received 4; M. M. Clark received 2; H. Seymour received 2; Myron Clark received 1; Seymour received 2.

ONEIDA COUNTY.—Miron H. Clark received 1; William Goodell received 38; Myron Clark received 1; H. H. Roberts received 1; Blank received 1; Hor. Seymour received 1; M. H. Clark received 6; Hor. Semor received 1; R. Clark received 1; H. Seymour received 1.

ONONDAGA COUNTY.—Horatio Seym received 2; Clark received 3; William Goodell received 7; Seymour received 3; Ullman received 1; Byron H. Clark received 1; Horatio H. Seymour received 1; Daniel Gott received 1.

ONTARIO COUNTY.—William Goodell received 5; M. H. Clark received 1; Seymour received 3; Blank received 4; Ullman received 1; D. Ullman received 1; Alonzo Seymour received 1; William H. Ludlow received 1; Oratio Seymour received 1; Horton Seymour received 1; Luther received 1; Preston King received 1.

ORANGE COUNTY.—Seymour received 3; H. Seymour received 2; Seymour received 1; Oratio Seymour received 1; Daniel Ullm received 1; Myron Clark received 1; David Hamilton received 1;—of which 4 were scattering; 2 were defective.

ORLEANS COUNTY.—Sam. Tompkins received 1; Seymour received 1; H. Seymour received 2; Myron Clark received 3; William Goodell received 1.

OSWEGO COUNTY.—William Goodell received 20; M. H. Clark received 1; C. H. Hinckley received 1; [illegible] Conklin received 1.

OTSEGO COUNTY.—Seymour received 7; [illegible] Seymour received 4; H. Seymour received 3; William Goodell received 3; Bronson received 2; G. C. Bronson received 1; Oratio Seymour received 1; Horati Seymour received 1; Hor. Seymour received 1; H. J. Seymour received 1; Myron Clark received 1; William Goodell received 1.

PUTNAM COUNTY.—Meyard H. Clark received 1.

QUEENS COUNTY.—A. C. Gilliam received 1; Marvin Seymour received 1.

RENSSELAER COUNTY.—William Goodell received 6; Preston King received 2; Myron Clark received 6; Hiram Clark received 1; H. Seymour received 1; G. C. Bronson received 1; John L. Hoes received 1; Blank received 1.

ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY.—M. Clark received 1; Myron C. Clark received 1; William Goodell received 3; [illegible] H. Seymour received 1; H. Seymour received 1; M. Clark received 2; F. King received 1; G. B. Merrill received 1; Blank received 1.

SARATOGA COUNTY.—H. Sem received 1; H. Seymour received 1; H. Seymour received 1; Seamor received 1; Clark received 1; M. H. Clark received 1; Blank received 1.

SCHENECTADY COUNTY.—H. Seymour received 20; H. Seymour received 1; Seymour received 2; Henry J. Raymond received 1.

SCHOHARIE COUNTY.—Horatio Brown received 1; H. Seymour received 1; D. Ullman received 1; Hiram H. Clark received 1; Miram Clark received 1; M. H. Clark received 1; Bronson received 1.

SCHUYLER COUNTY.—William Goodell received 9; D. [illegible] received 1; Myron Clark received 1; H. Seymour received 1; M. H. Clark received 1.

SENECA COUNTY.—William Goodell received 7; G. C. Bronson received 1; Myron C. Clark received 1; Bradford R. Wood received 1; M. H. Clark received 3; Myron Clark received 1; Seymour received 1.

STEUBEN COUNTY.—Horatio B. Brig received 1; M. H. Clark received 1; William Goodell received 1; Myron H. Clark received 1; William Ludlow received 1; Gustavus Scroggs received 1; Samuel Boyer received 1.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.—Seymour received 1; G. C. Bronson received 1; William H. Ludlow received 1; H. Seymour received 1; H. Clark received 1.

SULLIVAN COUNTY.—H. Seymour received 6; Horatio Seymour received 1; H. Seymour received 1; William Goodell received 4.

TIOGA COUNTY.—H. Seymour received 1; Horatio Seymour received 1; Sam. Cunningham received 1.

TOMPKINS COUNTY.—H. Seymour received 2; Horatio Seymour received 2; D. Ullmann received 3; Blank received 23.

ULSTER COUNTY.—J. C. Bronson received 1; Maria C. Moore received 1; M. Clark received 1; Oratio Seymour received 1; John C. Bronson received 1.

WARREN COUNTY.—William Goodell received 6.

WASHINGTON COUNTY.—Myron Clark received 1; William Goodell received 3; Horatio Semore received 1; Dan. Ullmann received 1; M. H. Clark received 1.

WAYNE COUNTY.—William Goodell received 9; Myron Clark received 1; M. H. Clark received 6; H. Seymour received 14; Seymour received 1; Horatio received 1; Alfred M. Wicks received 1; Daniel Doane received 1; D. Ullmann received 1.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.—Mard H. Clark received 1; M. H. Clark received 3; Ella Jay received 1; Byron H. Clark received 1; Myron Clark received 1; H. Seymour received 1; Seymour received 1; G. C. Bronson received 3; Benjamin Cameron received 1.

WYOMING COUNTY.—William Goodell received 6; Myron Clark received 1; Seymour received 1; Mat. Otis received 1.

YATES COUNTY.—Seymour received 3; Horatio Seymour received 1; William Goodell received 2; N. Ullmann received 1; H. Seymour received 1; M. H. Clark received 1; Myron Clark received 1; William Goodel received 1; Horatio Seymour received 1; Hr. Seymour received 1; Myron Clark received 1.

JAS. M. COOK, Comptroller.
E. W. LEAVENWORTH, Sec'y of State.
WM. PARMELEE, Mayor of Albany.
W. A. YOUNG, Recorder of Albany.

State of New-York, ss.—Statement of the whole number of votes given for LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR, at a General Election, held in the said State, on the seventh day of November, in the year 1854, wherein the several Counties in which the said votes were given are distinguished:

[illegible]

Total ... 128,633 ... 157,166 ... 121,037 ... 33,074 ... 466,770 [illegible]

JAS. M. COOK, Comptroller.
E. W. LEAVENWORTH, Secretary of State.
WM. PARMELEE, Mayor of Albany.
W. A. YOUNG, Recorder of Albany.

SCATTERING VOTES.

ALBANY COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 49; Clark Vernam received 1; Horatio Seymour received 1; H. Ludlow received 1; J. H. Raymond received 1; Wm. J. Naude received 1; B. R. Wood received 2; William Titus received 1; John O. Cole received 1; Edward Whitney received 1; Elias Ford received 1; Blank received 2.

ALLEGANY COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 49; H. F. Raymond received 1; Henry Dake received 2; Austin Ward received 3; John C. Harrington received 1.

BROOME COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 101.

CATTARAUGUS COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 3; Austin Ward received 16.

CAYUGA COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 133; Wood received 1; David Ford received 1; [illegible] received 1; E. Ford received 1; Austin Ward received 1; Sam Dempsey received 1; Henry Raymond received 1.

CHAUTAUQUE COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 489; Austin Ward received 6; H. J. Raymond received 2; C. Peer received 3.

CHEMUNG COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 7.

CHENANGO COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 3; Horatio Seymour received 1; E. Ford received 1; Geo. A. Scroggs received 1; Scroggs received 1; Austin Wood received 3.

CLINTON COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 14; Austin Ward received 22.

COLUMBIA COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 11; Tobias Ackerson received 2; Tobe Ackerson received 1; Myron Clark received 1; Tobias Hagedam received 1; Wm. H. Lud received 1; John Van Deusen Jr. received 1; Hugh W. McClellan received 1.

CORTLAND COUNTY.—Austin Ward received 17.

DELAWARE COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 62; Austin Ward received 5; G. A. Scroggs received 1.

DUTCHESS COUNTY.—Gustavus A. Scroggs received 5; Wm. H. Ford received 1; Bradford R. Wood received 1; Blank received 24; George Washington received 1; Scattering received 1.

ERIE COUNTY.—Bradford A. Wood received 1; Bradford B. Wood received 3; Bradford R. Wood received 11; Bradford Wood received 1; Austin Ward received 2; H. J. Raymond received 1; Charles O'Conor received 1; Abiah Mann Jr. received 2; Horatio Seymour received 1; John McClosky received 1; Blank received 4.

ESSEX COUNTY.—Austin Ward received 14; Bradford R. Wood received 40; Frank Holcomb received 1; Elijah Green received 1; Levi P. Wilcox received 1.

FRANKLIN COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 26; William Ludlow received 1; Henry J. Rayon received 1.

FULTON AND HAMILTON COUNTY.—Austin Ward received 2; H. J. Raymond received 1; Bradford R. Wood received 27; G. A. Scroggs received 1.

GENESEE COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 6; H. J. Raymond received 1; H. Raymond received 1; Austin Ward received 3; Horatio Seymour received 1; William Cooley received 1; B. R. Wood received 2; Wm. H. Ludlow received 1.

GREENE COUNTY.—Wm. Ludlow received 2; Bradford R. Wood received 6; B. R. Wood received 1; Matthias Wolf received 1.

HERKIMER COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 56; Austin Ward received 16; Fred. A. Helmer received 1.

JEFFERSON COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 214; Bradford Wood received 2; Austin Ward received 4; William Ludlow received 1; H. Ludlow received 1; Blank received 2.

KINGS COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 27; B. R. Wood received 2; Bradford Wood received 2; Ullman received 1; C. Davis received 2; Daniel Ullman received 3; H. J. Raymond received 1; W. H. Ludlow received 1; Elisha P. Hurlbert received 1; Scroggs received 2; James P. Saunders received 1; A. W. Bradford received 1; Austin Ward received 4.

LEWIS COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 173; William B. Ludlow received 1; Bradford Wood received 1; G. A. B. Scroggs received 1.

LIVINGSTON COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 28; B. R. Wood received 1; Austin Ward received 6; Blank received 3; J. H. Raymond received 1; Myron H. Clark received 1.

MADISON COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 1,036; John Hobbys received 1; Austin Ward received 61; Abiah Ward received 1; Abijah Mann, Jr., received 1; Gustavus Scroggs received 1; Ebenezer Hasell received 1.

MONROE COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 42; Austin Ward received 7.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 5; Horatio Seymour received 1.

NEW-YORK COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 114; Austin Ward received 21; H. J. Raymond received 1; G. A. Scroggs received 4; B. R. Wood received 2; Sylvanus Scroggs received 15; George A. Scroggs received 227; Scattering received 140.

NIAGARA COUNTY.—Bradford R. Woods received 118; A. Ward received 1; W. H. Ludlow received 1; Austin Ward received 3; Gustavus Scroggs received 1; H. J. Raymond received 1.

ONEIDA COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 296; Austin Ward received 23; Cyrus Trask received 2; Blank received 1.

ONONDAGA COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 77; Austin Ward received 6; Frederick Douglass received 1; James Leach received 1; Levi W. Hall received 2; James L. Leach received 1; Blank received 2.

ONTARIO COUNTY.—John Ford received 1; B. R. Pottle received 1; Austin Ward received 15; Bradford R. Wood received 11; Abijah Mann received 1; Blank received 6.

ORANGE COUNTY.—Gustavus A. Scroggs received 6; Gustavus Scroggs received 2; E. Ford received 1; Bradford R. Wood received 14; John A. Cooley received 1.

ORLEANS COUNTY.—Wm. H. Ludlow received 6; Austin Ward received 6; Gustavus Scroggs received 1; Bradford R. Wood received 11.

OSWEGO COUNTY.—Austin Ward received 13; Bradford R. Wood received 1,117; G. Scroggs received 2; Gustavus Scroggs received 1; Henry Fitzhugh received 1; Horatio Seymour received 1; Augustus A. Scroggins received 2.

OTSEGO COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 193; Austin Ward received 6; William Ludlow received 3; B. Wood received 1.

PUTNAM COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 1.

QUEENS COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 11; Samuel Willett received 1; Phineas Walker received 1; Daniel Ullman received 1.

RENSSELAER COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 10; Austin Ward received 6; Abijah Mann received 2; H. J. Raymond received 2; Ross Jones received 1.

RICHMOND COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 4.

ROCKLAND COUNTY.—William L. Ludlow received 2.

ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 1,886; Austin Ward received 4; H. Rannon received 1; James Robinson received 1; B. R. Wood received 1.

SARATOGA COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 149; Greene C. Bronson received 1; A. L. Maxwell received 1; Blank received 3.

SCHENECTADY COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 1.

SCHOHARIE COUNTY.—Benj. R. Wood received 1; Bradford R. Wood received 6.

SCHUYLER COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 16; Austin Ward received 6; H. J. Raymond received 1.

SENECA COUNTY.—Austin Ward received 7; Bradford R. Wood received 28.

STEUBEN COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 17.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 13; Ludlow received 1; Daniel Ullmann received 1; Greene C. Bronson received 1; Fernando Wood received 1; Austin Ward received 1; W. H. Ludlow received 1.

SULLIVAN COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 44; Austin Ward received 4; Henry Fitzhugh received 1; C. R. Woodward received 1.

TIOGA COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 60; William Goodale received 1; Albert Fox received 1.

TOMPKINS COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 242; Blank received 15.

ULSTER COUNTY.—Josiah Scroggs received 2; Bradford R. Wood received 1.

WARREN COUNTY.—Austin Ward received 1; Bradford Wood received 2; B. R. Wood received 5; Austin Wood received 2.

WASHINGTON COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 281; Wood received 1; Austin Ward received 3; Gustavus A. Scroggs received 216; Thomas Walsh received 1.

WAYNE COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 190; Austin Ward received 3; W. A. Ludlow received 1; H. J. Raymond received 1; Henry J. Ray received 1; Wm. H. Ludlow received 1; B. R. Wood received 1.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 25; Buleah M. Whitlock received 1; William Ludlow received 1; Abram Pitcher received 1; Ebenezer Chase received 1; G. A. Scroggs received 1; W. Ludlow received 1; Henry Raymond received 1.

WYOMING COUNTY.—Austin Ward received 13; Bradford R. Wood received 16; G. A. Scroggs received 1; Daniel Ullmann received 1; Seth M. Gates received 1.

YATES COUNTY.—Bradford R. Wood received 3; Austin Ward received 2; Henry Raymond received 1.

JAS. M. COOK, Comptroller.
E. W. LEAVENWORTH, Sec'y of State.
WM. PARMELEE, Mayor of Albany.
W. A. YOUNG, Recorder of Albany.

State of New-York, ss.—Statement of the whole number of votes given for CANAL COMMISSIONER, at a General Election, held in the said State, on the 7th day of November, in the year 1854, wherein the several Counties in which the said votes were given are distinguished:

[illegible]

Total ... 125,310 ... 161,005 ... 34,344 ... 133,966 ... 467,080 [illegible]

JAS. M. COOK, Comptroller.
E. W. LEAVENWORTH, Sec'y of State.
WM. PARMELEE, Mayor of Albany.
W. A. YOUNG, Recorder of Albany.

SCATTERING VOTES.

ALBANY COUNTY.—Clark B. Williams received 1; H. Fitzhugh received 1; Edward Whitney received 1; James P. Gould received 1; Charles A. Wheaton received 2; Blank received 5; Charles A. Mann received 1; John B. Williams received 1; Clark Burnham received 1.

ALLEGANY COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 464; J. B. Williams received 3; John C. Harrington received 10; Philip M. Comber received 2.

BROOME COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 84.

CATTARAUGUS COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 69; John C. Harrington received 10.

CAYUGA COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 57; John C. Harrington received 4; Charles H. Wheaton received 2.

CHAUTAUQUE COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 443; John C. Harrington received 4.

CHEMUNG COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 2; John C. Harrington received 1.

CHENANGO COUNTY.—John C. Harrington received 3; Elijah Ford received 1; Fitz Hugh received 1; Charles A. Wheaton received 4.

CLINTON COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 71; John C. Harrington received 13; C. A. Wheaton received 1; Josiah Clark received 12; John C. Clark received 4.

COLUMBIA COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton [illegible]

DELAWARE COUNTY.—[illegible]

DUTCHESS COUNTY.—[illegible]

ERIE COUNTY.—C. A. Wheaton received 1; [illegible]

ESSEX COUNTY.—John C. Harrington received 14; Charles A. Wheaton received 26.

FRANKLIN COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 23.

FULTON AND HAMILTON COUNTIES.—John C. Harrington received 3; Charles A. Wheaton received 2; Blank received 2.

GENESEE COUNTY.—John C. Harrington received 1; David Ullman received 1; C. A. Wheaton received 1.

GREENE COUNTY.—Charles Wheaton received 1.

HERKIMER COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 87; John C. Harrington received 17; Sam. Sharp received 1.

JEFFERSON COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 184; John C. Harrington received 1; J. C. Harrington received 2; Charles A. Wheaton received 41; Charles Wheaton received 5; Henry Fitzhu received 1; Blank received 2.

KINGS COUNTY.—Charles Wheaton received 3; Charles A. Wheaton received 1; J. B. Williams received 1; Thomas B. Whitney received 1; Ira. H. Moore received 1; John C. Harrington received 4.

LEWIS COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 184.

LIVINGSTON COUNTY.—John C. Harrington received 4; Charles A. Wheaton received 7; W. Hamlin received 1; C. B. Sedgwick received 1.

MADISON COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 1,076; John C. Harrington received 8; Azariah C. Flagg received 1; William F. Allen received 1.

MONROE COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 3; Austin Ward received 10; William Goodell received 1; H. J. Raymond received 1; B. R. Wood received 1; Blank received 3.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY.—Henry Fitz received 1.

NEW-YORK COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 112; John C. Harrington received 3; H. Wheaton received 1; J. B. Williams received 1; Scattering received 124.

NIAGARA COUNTY.—William S. Andrews received 34; Charles A. Wheaton received 86; John C. Harrington received 4.

ONEIDA COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 313; John C. Farrington received 1; Abram Vernam received 20; John C. Harrington received 11; Blank received 1.

ONONDAGA COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 27; John C. Harrington received 4; Fishyoe received 3; John C. Harry received 4; Sherman Welch received 1; James C. Jackson received 1; Burnham received 1.

ONTARIO COUNTY.—J. C. Harrington received 16; Blank received 6.

ORANGE COUNTY.—Clark Burham received 30; Clark B. Burnham received 2; Joseph B. Williams received 1; Charles A. Wheaton received 1.

ORLEANS COUNTY.—John C. Harrington received 6.

OSWEGO COUNTY.—John C. Harrington received 16; Charles A. Wheaton received 1,460; William Burke received 2.

OTSEGO COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 207; John C. Harrington received 6; C. Burnham received 1.

QUEENS COUNTY.—John Clark received 119; Charles A. Wheaton received 12; Norwood Bowne received 114; William B. Andrews received 7; Martin V. N. Rider received 1.

RENSSELAER COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 2; Myron Hamblin received 1; John C. Harrington received 3; Joseph Farmer received 2.

RICHMOND COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 3.

ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 1,467; John C. Harrington received 4.

SARATOGA COUNTY.—Clark Burnam received 10; Charles A. Wheaton received 18.

SCHENECTADY COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 7.

SCHUYLER COUNTY.—John C. Harrington received 6; Charles A. Wheaton received 11; Abram Vernam received 2; J. B. Williams received 5; E. Van Court received 1.

SENECA COUNTY.—J. C. Harrington received 8; Charles A. Wheaton received 6.

STEUBEN COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 5; Wm. Fitzhugh received 1; Abram Vernam received 2; John C. Harrington received 1; Charles D. Thomas received 1.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.—Norwood Bowne received 600; Charles A. Wheaton received 1; John C. Harrington received 1; Fred. Hudson received 1.

SULLIVAN COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 10; John Harrington received 4.

TIOGA COUNTY.—C. Burnham received 16; John L. Harrington received 1; Charles A. Wheeler received 1; Zeba Cortright received 1.

TOMPKINS COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 219; Blank received 20.

ULSTER COUNTY.—Wm. H. Ludlow received 1; Elisha B. Williams received 11.

WARREN COUNTY.—John C. Harrington received 6.

WASHINGTON COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 103; Cornelius A. Wheaton received 17; Clark Backes received 1; Wheaton received 3; C. A. White received 1; John C. Harrington received 2.

WAYNE COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 170; John C. Harrington received 8; Abram Vernam received 11; H. Clark received 1; H. Fitzhugh received 1.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.—Charles A. Wheaton received 36; William R. Andrews received 4; Charles Wheaton received 2; Beth Walters received 1; James P. Saunders received 1; John Hobbs received 1.

WYOMING COUNTY.—John C. Harrington received 13; John Clark received 36; James P. Saunders received 6; Charles A. Wheaton received 4.

YATES COUNTY.—Clark Burnham received 1.

JAMES M. COOK, Comptroller.
E. W. LEAVENWORTH, Sec'y of State.
WM. PARMELEE, Mayor of Albany.
W. A. YOUNG, Recorder of Albany.

State of New-York, ss.—Statement of the whole number of votes given for INSPECTOR OF STATE PRISONS, at a General Election, held in the said State, on the seventh day of November, in the year 1854, wherein the several Counties in which the said votes were given are distinguished:

COUNTIES.					
Albany	4,112	4,460	4,496	1,946	15,044
Allegany	1,467	[illegible]	2,489	465	7,026
Broome	318	3,206	1,322	1,331	5,655
Cattaraugus	598	1,729	2,163	267	6,176
Cayuga	1,622	3,619	2,541	331	8,683
Chautauque	[illegible]	[illegible]	4,490	211	9,000
Chemung	1,422	1,366	1,489	134	4,268
Chenango	1,696	3,951	210	1,293	7,400
Clinton	1,290	1,612	592	606	4,300
Columbia	1,736	2,674	1,519	1,310	7,450
Cortland	1,212	2,636	61	508	4,402
Delaware	2,101	2,722	963	216	6,000
Dutchess	3,264	2,755	1,002	1,100	8,185
Erie	5,355	5,036	7,835	775	18,230
Franklin	1,485	1,072	166	257	2,480
Fulton & Hamilton	1,329	1,911	195	506	4,335
Genesee	689	1,699	2,380	309	5,080
Greene	1,746	1,660	1,616	916	6,181
Herkimer	2,269	1,387	672	161	6,430
Jefferson	2,795	3,707	1,773	323	10,327
Kings	4,769	6,140	6,081	1,972	23,071
Lewis	1,299	1,440	137	146	3,026
Livingston	676	2,446	2,480	310	6,250
Madison	2,038	3,769	267	1,110	7,324
Monroe	2,454	4,121	3,488	1,396	11,530
Montgomery	1,736	2,902	303	706	5,637
New-York	19,483	13,357	16,079	....	60,259
Niagara	969	2,393	1,998	993	6,094
Oneida	4,873	6,302	939	883	17,047
Onondaga	4,146	4,565	3,157	877	12,755
Ontario	1,056	2,475	3,073	373	7,262
Orange	1,254	3,162	1,760	1,086	8,082
Orleans	861	1,326	2,010	386	4,608
Oswego	2,829	3,856	1,306	706	10,138
Otsego	4,065	3,380	869	679	9,397
Putnam	689	369	220	410	1,970
Queens	559	1,322	1,366	[illegible]	4,770
Rensselaer	2,712	4,100	3,032	1,214	11,067
Richmond	711	652	404	183	2,094
Rockland	871	697	306	306	2,170
St. Lawrence	2,283	2,990	670	306	6,718
Saratoga	1,246	2,396	1,608	1,217	6,804
Schenectady	669	1,339	501	944	3,504
Schoharie	876	2,116	1,052	2,219	6,313
Schuyler	1,364	1,700	264	169	3,498
Seneca	630	1,180	1,668	446	3,951
Steuben	2,417	2,032	6,080	368	10,857
Suffolk	1,316	427	2,161	868	4,968
Sullivan	736	1,106	574	1,066	3,493
Tioga	1,094	1,751	1,067	[illegible]	4,484
Tompkins	1,004	2,121	1,439	386	5,397
Ulster	2,676	2,932	2,176	637	8,336
Warren	6	617	1,378	621	2,880
Washington	1,169	2,949	2,080	605	6,919
Wayne	1,336	3,140	1,462	407	7,105
Westchester	1,367	2,196	2,689	1,338	9,035
Wyoming	1,076	2,314	916	549	5,118
Yates	620	1,723	670	271	2,680
Total	124,795	155,947	120,747	41,976	467,336

JAS. M. COOK, Comptroller.
E. W. LEAVENWORTH, Sec'y of State.
WM. PARMELEE, Mayor of Albany.
W. A. YOUNG, Recorder of Albany.

SCATTERING VOTES.

ALBANY COUNTY.—Philip H. McCumber received 5; A. Vernam received 1; Clark Burnham received 1; Blank received 9; Garry Bleecker received 1; P. H. McComber received 1; Albert Loster received 1; Josiah B. Williams received 1.

ALLEGANY COUNTY.—Norman Bowne received 1,973; Philip Macomber received 49; Philip M. Comber received 5; William Shapcott received 15; J. C. Harrington received 1; William Shapcut received 2.

BROOME COUNTY.—Philip H. McComber received 76.

CATTARAUGUS COUNTY.—Philip H. McComber received 64; William Shapcott received 10; Francis S. Edwards received 1.

CAYUGA COUNTY.—Philip Macomber received 53; Sam received 1; J. P. Sanders received 1; Abraham Vernam received 1; William Shapcott received 3; James P. Sands received 1; Wm. B. Andrews received 1; Philip H. Macomber received 3; Philip H. McComber received 27; A. Varnum received 1; Josiah Williams received 1; Philip H. Macomber received 14; Wm. Schapcott received 1; A. P. McComber received 1.

CHAUTAUQUE COUNTY.—Philip H. Macomber received 441; William Shapcott received 6; R. E. Fenton received 1; Abram Varnam received 13; Dr. C. Peer received 1.

CHEMUNG COUNTY.—John M. Beers received 1; Philip McComber received 1; William Shapcott received 1; John G. McDowell received 1.

CHENANGO COUNTY.—William Shapcott received 3; N. Bowne received 1.

CLINTON COUNTY.—Philip H. Macomber received 72; William Shapcott received 30; J. P. Saunders received 1.

COLUMBIA COUNTY.—Philip H. Macomber received 1.

DELAWARE COUNTY.—Philip H. Macomber received 208; William Shapcott received 2.

DUTCHESS COUNTY.—Philip Macomber received 1; James P. Sanders received 4; Blank received 16.

ERIE COUNTY.—Wm. Shapcott received 3; Chas. P. Sanders received 1; J. Stringham received 1; James Wood received 1; C. W. Law received 1; P. H. McComber received 1; Rev. Foilmore received 1; Blank received 33.

ESSEX COUNTY.—William Shapcott received 14; Philip Macomber received 30; Henry Storms received 1; James B. Williams received 1; Samuel P. Sanders received 1.

FRANKLIN COUNTY.—Philip H. Macomber received 23.

FULTON AND HAMILTON COUNTIES.—William Shapcott received 3; Wm. J. Andrews received 240; J. P. Saunders received 2; Philip H. McComber received 2.

GENESEE COUNTY.—William Shapcott received 4; Green C. Bronson received 1; P. H. Macomber received 3; Rodney Gowan received 1; John Smith received 1.

GREENE COUNTY.—Lucius D. Hall received 1; Philip H. Macomber received 1.

HERKIMER COUNTY.—Philip H. McComber received 36; William Shapcott received 16; Fred. A. Helmer received 1.

JEFFERSON COUNTY.—Philip H. McComber received 168; William Shapcott received 12; Thomas P. Saunders received 1; Philip Macomber received 42; Blank received 2.

KINGS COUNTY.—Henry Storms received 3; Philip H. McComber received 4; Abram Varnum received 11; Daniel Ullman received 1; George P. Saunders received 115; William Shapcott received 4.

LEWIS COUNTY.—Philip H. Macomber received 185; John H. Allen received 1.

LIVINGSTON COUNTY.—William Shapcott received 2; Philip Macomber received 1; John Vernam received 1; Kelley received 1; Blank received 1.

MADISON COUNTY.—Philip H. Macomber received 1,069; William Shapcott received 89; James B. Saunders received 1; Samuel French received 1.

MONROE COUNTY.—William Shapcott received 3; Philip H. Macomber received 9; William Shapcock received 1; [illegible]

NEW-YORK COUNTY.—Abram Vernam received [illegible]

NIAGARA COUNTY.—[illegible] Philip McComber received [illegible] A. Vernam received 1.

ONEIDA COUNTY.—Philip H. McComber received 309; P. H. Macomber received 1; William Shapcott received 11; [illegible]

ONONDAGA COUNTY.—Philip H. Macomber received 2; William Shapcott received 6; Sherman Welch received 1; Abram Vernam received 1; H. H. Potter received 1.

ONTARIO COUNTY.—William Shapcott received 15; Levi Tillotson received 1; Blank received 7; W. H. Andrews received 1; Myron H. Clark received 1.

ORANGE COUNTY.—John Brown received 1; James P. Saunders received 2; John E. J. Gardner received 1; Clark Burnham received 1; John Warner received 1; Philip H. McComber received 1; Seaman received 1; A. H. Macomber received 1.

ORLEANS COUNTY.—William Shapcott received 4.

OSWEGO COUNTY.—William Shapcott received 14; Philip H. Macomber received 1,514; James B. Saunders received 3; Henry C. Goodwin received 1.

OTSEGO COUNTY.—Philip H. Macomber received 203; William Shapcott received 6; John W. Smith received 1; William Goodell received 1.

PUTNAM COUNTY.—Alvah Cole received 1; James P. Andrews received 1.

QUEENS COUNTY.—Abraham Vernum received 1,440; Philip H. Macomber received 12; Henry Fitzhugh received 1; John Clark received 1; W. S. Andrews received 4; James Saunders received 4; Jason Clark received 2; Benjamin Dixon received 1; Henry S. Lott received 1.

RENSSELAER COUNTY.—William Shapcot received 1; William Shapcott received 6; P. H. McComber received 1; P. H. Macomber received 1; Philip McComber received 1.

RICHMOND COUNTY.—Philip H. McComber received 3.

ROCKLAND COUNTY.—Jacob Storms received 1.

ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY.—Philip H. Macomber received 1,496; John Barnes received 1; William Shapcott received 4.

SARATOGA COUNTY.—Philip H. Macomber received 1,864; Orville Clark received 1.

SCHUYLER COUNTY.—Clark Burnham received 1; J. M. Parker received 1; Wm. Shapcott received 6; Philip A. Macomber received 2.

SENECA COUNTY.—William Shapcott received 5; Philip McComber received 8; Norwood Browne received 1.

STEUBEN COUNTY.—William Shapcott received 2; P. H. Macomber received 1; Clark Burnham received 1; Isaac N. Southerly received 1.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.—Henry Fitzhugh received 600; Philip H. Macomber received 1; William H. Andrews received 29; Harry W. Vail received 1; William Shapcott received 1; James B. Sanders received 7; John Wickham received 1.

SULLIVAN COUNTY.—Philip H. Macomber received 11; William Shapcott received 4.

TIOGA COUNTY.—Abram Vernon received 22; William Shapcott received 1; Philip H. Mcomber received 1; Asa Boscom received 1.

TOMPKINS COUNTY.—Philip H. Macomber received 218; Blank received 6.

WARREN COUNTY.—William B. Andrews received 341; James P. Andrews received 4; William Shapcott received 6; James P. Sanders received 5; Sandroos received 1.

WASHINGTON COUNTY.—Philip H. McComber received 215; Wm. B. Andrews received 2; William B. Andrews received 18; T. H. Walker received 1; Sharp Scott received 2.

WAYNE COUNTY.—William Shapcott received 8; Philip A. Macomber received 157; Clark Burnham received 13; G. A. Scroggs received 2; John Macomber received 1; James P. Saunders received 6; Wm. Andrews received 1.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.—W. B. Andrews received 19; Philip H. Macomber received 11; Philip Macomb received 6; Jason Clark received 4; William H. Ludlow received 2; Hiram P. Rowel received 1; Amanda Whitlock received 1; Sanders received 1; A. Vernam received 1; Ezra Cross received 1; J. P. Saunders received 1; Henry Storms received 1.

WYOMING COUNTY.—William Shapcott received 13; Charles A. Wheaton received 1; John C. Harrington received 1.

YATES COUNTY.—John P. Saunders received 1; William Shapcott received 2; Andrew Oliver received 1; Wm. A. Andrews received 1; James L. Seely received 1.

JAS. M. COOK, Comptroller.
E. W. LEAVENWORTH, Sec'y of State.
WM. PARMELEE, Mayor of Albany.
W. A. YOUNG, Recorder of Albany.

State of New-York, ss.—Statement of the whole number of votes given for REPRESENTATIVES in the Thirty-Fourth Congress of the United States, at a General Election, held in the said State, on the seventh day of November, in the year 1854, wherein the several Districts and Counties in which the said votes were given are distinguished:

FIRST DISTRICT.

Counties of	William W. Valk.	Daniel B. Allen.	Frederick W. Lord.	Harvey W. Vail.	Whole No. votes
Suffolk	1,669	208	1,128	934	4,203
Queens	1,582	1,300	685	976	4,706
Richmond	664	901	263	260	2,088
Kings (excepting Brooklyn & W'msburg)	35	450	361	677	1,511
Total	4,019	2,709	2,337	2,677	12,656

SECOND DISTRICT.

County of	James S. T. Stranahan.	George Taylor.			
Kings, Brooklyn	7,937	7,433	....	....	15,370

THIRD DISTRICT.

City of	Guy R. Pelton.	George De Witt Clinton.	William Miner.		
New-Y'k, 1st, 2d, 3d, 5th, & 8th Wards	4,084	2,358	1,875	....	8,361

FOURTH DISTRICT.

City of	Mike Walsh.	John Kelly.	Sandford L. Macomber.	John W. Bupee.	
New-Y'k, 4th, 6th, 10th & 14th Wards	2,050	3,046	836	638	7,329

FIFTH DISTRICT.

City of	Thomas R. Whitney.	George H. Andrews.	Abraham J. Berry.	Philip Hamilton.	
New-Y'k, 7th & 13th Wards	1,076	1,293	1,054	1,462	6,044
City of Williamsburg in Kings Co.	1,224	1,473	900	1,256	4,940
Total	3,330	2,705	1,954	2,718	10,823

SIXTH DISTRICT.

City of	John Wheeler.	John McKeon.	Charles H. Marshall.	Charles P. Ward.	
New-Y'k, 11th, 15th and 17th Wards	5,130	4,487	2,260	1,190	13,060

SEVENTH DISTRICT.

City of	Thomas Child, Jr.	William B. Kennedy.			
New-York, 9th, 16th and 20th Wards	6,057	5,001	....	....	11,713

EIGHTH DISTRICT.

City of	Abram Wakeman.	James L. Curtis.	Edward R. Fellows.		
New-York, 12th, 19th and 22d Wards	4,856	2,869	1,473	....	9,450

NINTH DISTRICT.

Counties of	Bayard Clark.	Jason E. Whitney.	Benjamin Brandreth.	Reuben Bailey.	
Westchester	5,367	1,223	2,022	185	9,005
Rockland	1,287	606	265	1	2,160
Putnam	1,110	60	300	201	1,870
Total	7,764	1,889	2,580	387	13,034

TENTH DISTRICT.

Counties of	Ambrose S. Murray.	Charles S. Woodward.	Jonathan Stratton.		
Orange	2,766	2,890	1,305	....	8,971
Sullivan	1,443	1,571	755	....	3,786
Total	5,209	4,464	2,060	....	11,857

ELEVENTH DISTRICT.

Counties of	Rufus H. King.	Elisha P. Strong.			
Ulster	3,327	3,209	....	....	6,537
Greene	2,254	1,845	....	....	5,111
Total	5,576	5,062	....	....	12,639

TWELFTH DISTRICT.

Counties of	Killian Miller.	Hugh W. McClelland.	William H. Wilson.		
Dutchess	4,600	3,126	1,324	....	9,089
Columbia	3,767	2,465	1,180	....	7,353
Total	8,370	5,680	2,469	....	16,441

THIRTEENTH DISTRICT.

County of	Russell Sage.	Alonzo Cook.	Henry A. Clum.		
Rensselaer	5,964	1,972	3,075	....	11,015

FOURTEENTH DISTRICT.

County of	Samuel Dickson.	David Hamilton.	John V. L. Pruyn.	John W. Harcourt.	
Albany	4,680	3,385	3,944	4,370	16,017

FIFTEENTH DISTRICT.

Counties of	Edward Dodd.	Orville Clark.	Charles Hughes.	James M. Andrews.	
Washington	3,342	1,478	960	469	6,758
Saratoga	2,486	1,252	1,366	1,496	7,710
Warren	1,228	1,267	270	300	3,061
Hamilton	22	263	3	21	440
Total	8,760	6,299	2,471	2,404	18,050

SIXTEENTH DISTRICT.

Counties of	George A. Simmons.	Jerome B. Bailey.	Gurdon T. Lyman.	Joseph D. Flanders.	
Essex	2,366	750	218	685	3,010
Clinton	1,804	1,771	407	230	4,196
Franklin	1,600	443	1,107	200	3,446
Total	5,507	2,960	1,732	1,125	11,301

SEVENTEENTH DISTRICT.

Counties of	Francis E. Spinner.	Henry P. Alexander.	Nathaniel S. Benton.		
St. Lawrence	4,170	3,240	1,269	....	8,682
Herkimer	3,440	2,177	745	....	6,300
Total	7,610	5,417	2,014	....	15,062

EIGHTEENTH DISTRICT.

Counties of	Thomas R. Horton.	John Frey.			
Fulton	[illegible]	1,264	....	....	3,200
Montgomery	1,783	2,652	....	....	4,383
Schenectady	1,739	1,300	....	....	3,046
Schoharie	1,732	2,400	....	....	4,336
Total	9,651	6,945	....	....	16,465

NINETEENTH DISTRICT.

Counties of	Jonas A. Hughston.	Lewis R. Palmer.	Hezekiah Sturges.	William B. Hoose.	
Otsego	3,594	4,312	917	408	9,232
Delaware	3,150	2,132	84	941	6,262
Total	6,744	6,444	1,000	1,349	15,595

TWENTIETH DISTRICT.

County of	Orsamus B. Matteson.	William C. Johnson.	W. Reubens.	Benjamin N. Huntington.	
Oneida	8,463	3,172	4,706	880	17,040

TWENTY-FIRST DISTRICT.

Counties of	Henry Bennett.	Edward Tompkins.	Oliver C. Crocker.		
Cortland	2,723	1,285	345	....	4,407
Broome	2,570	2,336	670	....	5,591
Chenango	3,434	2,349	1,061	....	7,287
Total	8,727	5,970	2,071	....	17,325

TWENTY-SECOND DISTRICT.

Counties of	Andrew Z. McCarty.	Leander Babcock.	William Lewis.	Charles G. Cass.	
Oswego	2,322	2,758	1,916	1,453	9,983
Madison	3,936	1,978	1,415	1,620	7,286
Total	5,858	4,736	3,361	3,063	17,214

TWENTY-THIRD DISTRICT.

Counties of	William A. Gilbert.	Willard Ives.	Lysander H. Brown.		
Jefferson	4,902	4,052	1,098	....	10,116
Lewis	1,350	1,593	100	....	3,423
Total	6,351	5,645	1,513	....	13,535

TWENTY-FOURTH DISTRICT.

County of	Amos P. Granger.	Thomas G. Alvord.	B. Davis Noxon.	Sanford C. Parker.	
Onondaga	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	12,819

TWENTY-FIFTH DISTRICT.

Counties of	Edwin B. Morgan.	George B. Rathbun.	William Macomber.		
Cayuga	4,178	4,380	[illegible]	....	8,880
Wayne	3,602	2,530	[illegible]	....	7,031
Total	7,050	6,910	1,336	....	15,911

TWENTY-SIXTH DISTRICT.

Counties of	Thomas M. Howell.	Andrew Oliver.	Levi L. Brown.		
Ontario	2,734	2,448	1,692	....	6,770
Seneca	1,070	1,108	1,331	....	4,188
Yates	1,597	1,300	142	....	2,988
Total	6,471	4,856	3,165	....	14,471

TWENTY-SEVENTH DISTRICT.

Counties of	John M. Parker.	John G. McDowell.	Charles Cooke.		
Tompkins	3,315	773	941	....	5,063
Chemung	2,717	1,389	142	....	4,273
Tioga	2,400	1,335	863	....	4,604
Schuyler	1,973	1,204	219	....	3,429
Total	10,388	4,701	2,165	....	17,080

TWENTY-EIGHTH DISTRICT.

Counties of	William H. Kelsey.	George Hastings.	Lemuel Gibbs.		
Steuben	6,770	2,699	471	....	9,901
Livingston	4,281	1,767	72	....	6,151
Total	11,051	4,466	543	....	16,052

TWENTY-NINTH DISTRICT.

County of	John Williams.	Davis Carpenter.	Joseph Sibley.		
Monroe	5,609	4,287	1,905	....	11,714

THIRTIETH DISTRICT.

Counties of	Benjamin Pringle.	Albert F. Lasing.	Charles W. Belden.	Nathan V. Hall.	
Genesee	4,176	430	888	....	5,486
Wyoming	2,721	1,659	312	....	4,692
Allegany	2,613	1,290	1,237	692	6,243
Total	9,510	3,981	2,419	692	16,567

THIRTY-FIRST DISTRICT.

Counties of	Thomas T. Flagler.	Alden S. Baker.	Edward J. Chase.		
Orleans	2,378	998	182	....	3,880
Niagara	3,813	296	780	....	5,551
Total	7,190	1,231	962	....	9,410

THIRTY-SECOND DISTRICT.

County of	Solomon G. Haven.	Israel T. Hatch.	Nelson Randall.		
Erie	8,076	6,305	968	....	15,352

THIRTY-THIRD DISTRICT.

Counties of	Francis S. Edwards.	Reuben E. Fenton.	Ebenezer A. Lester.		
Chautauque	4,976	3,668	241	....	8,907
Cattaraugus	3,383	2,749	6	....	6,249
Total	8,359	6,397	247	....	15,166

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WM. PARMELEE, Mayor of Albany.
W. A. YOUNG, Recorder of Albany.

SCATTERING VOTES.

FIRST DISTRICT.—RICHMOND COUNTY—Gabriel P. Disosway received 192; James Maurice received 2; Nicholas Crocheron received 1. SUFFOLK COUNTY—Gabriel P. Disosway received 108; William W. Vail received 1; Harvey Vail received 2; G. P. Disoway received 1; D. B. Allen received 1; William H. Gale received 1; Disoway received 1; Disway received 1; F. W. Lord received 2. QUEENS COUNTY—Gabriel P. Disosway received 451; James Maurice received 3; G. P. Disosway received 1; Mr. Disosway received 1; William Valk received 1; Isaac Coles received 1. KINGS COUNTY—Thomas B. Whitney received 47; James S. T. Stranahan received 37; George Taylor received 26; Philip Hamilton received 4; Gabriel P. Disosway received 2.

SECOND DISTRICT.—James Stranahan received 1; Joseph Stranahan received 1; Stranahan received 1; S. S. Allen received 1; Taylor received 1; Gabriel P. Disosway received 1; Olin Holden received 1; Thomas R. Whitney received 1; George De Witt Clinton received 1; H. W. W. Vail received 1; Charles V. Jack received 1; C. J. Jack received 1; S. Boyd received 1; William Gallagher received 3; William Kinyan received 1; Charles C. Fowler received 1; C. C. Brown received 1; Samuel D. Morris received 1.

THIRD DISTRICT.—NEW-YORK CITY—Scattering received 26.

FOURTH DISTRICT.—NEW-YORK CITY—James Kelly received 1; Scattering received 24.

FIFTH DISTRICT.—KINGS COUNTY—James S. T. Stranahan received 5; George Taylor received 6. NEW-YORK CITY—Scattering received 38.

SIXTH DISTRICT.—NEW-YORK CITY—McLeod Murphy received 88; Scattering received 14.

SEVENTH DISTRICT.—NEW-YORK CITY—Scattering 66.

EIGHT DISTRICT.—NEW-YORK CITY—Scattering 33.

NINTH DISTRICT.—PUTNAM COUNTY—Jared V. Peck received 124; James Whitney received 1; Charles A. Atwater received 1. WESTCHESTER COUNTY—Jared V. Peck received 101; Benjamin T. Bailey received 23; Brandreth received 6; J. E. Whitney received 3; Benjamin R. Brandreth received 1; J. E. Clarke received 1; Bayard V. Clarke received 3; Sarah Banks received 1; Jason E. Whitney received 1; E. B. Bailey received 1; W. H. Duesbury received 1; James P. Sanders received 1; Thomas R. Whitney received 1.

TENTH DISTRICT.—ORANGE COUNTY—A. S. Murray received 15; C. S. Woodward received 7; W. M. Murray received 1; Woodward Stratton received 1; Ambrose A. Spencer received 1; C. Woodward received 1. SULLIVAN COUNTY—C. S. Woodward received 6; Charles Woodward received 1; Edward Paion received 1; Ambrose Murray received 1.

ELEVENTH DISTRICT.—GREENE COUNTY—Elisha B. Strong received 1; Rufus King received 3; Daniel Ullman received 1; Blank received 1.

TWELFTH DISTRICT.—DUTCHESS COUNTY—Charles Robinson received 3; Peter Van Benas received 1; Blank received 16. COLUMBIA COUNTY—K. Miller received 2; H. W. McClelland received 1; Hugh McClelland received 2; Isaac Teller received 1; William Wilson received 1; Hew McClelland received 2.

THIRTEENTH DISTRICT.—RENSSELAER COUNTY—George M. Tibbits received 1; H. A. Clum received 1; Russ Sage received 1; Alonzo V. Cook received 1; Sage received 3; John W. Harcourt received 6; Henry Clum received 3; Jason Clark received 1.

FOURTEENTH DISTRICT.—ALBANY COUNTY—D. Hamilton received 1; Abram Koons received 1; Clark Burnham received 1; Blank received 4; S. Dickson received 2; Cornelius Tenbroeck received 1.

FIFTEENTH DISTRICT.—SARATOGA COUNTY—James W. Horton received 1; Thomas R. Horton received 1; Hughs received 1; Blank received 29; John W. Harcourt received 3; Oliver Clark received 4; Doctor Harris received 2; Clark Burnham received 1; E. Davis Noxon received 1. WARREN COUNTY—C. Hughes received 1. WASHINGTON COUNTY—Edward A. Wagstan received 1; Leonard Wells received 1; John M. Stevenson received 1; James Andrews received 1; William E. Andrews received 1; [illegible] J. T. Cole received 1; [illegible] J. Thompson received 1; Charles Hews received 1; Ch. Hughs received 1; Chs. Hews received 1; Charles Hughs received 1; Chas. Hughes received 1; Charles New received 1; C. Hughs received 7; Edward Dodd received 2; James Andrews received 4.

SIXTEENTH DISTRICT.—ESSEX COUNTY—J. B. Bailey received 4; Jerome Baily received 104; G. A. Simmons received 2; G. Simmons received 1; Simmons received 1; George A. Simmons received 1; Joseph Flanders received 1; Joseph Flanders received 1; G. B. Bailey received 1; George A. Simmons received 1. CLINTON COUNTY—Timothy Hoyle received 5; Joseph D. Flanders received 1; J. B. Flanders received 2; George A. Simmons received 1; J. B. Bailey received 1; G. A. Simmons received 2; Joseph Flanders received 1. FRANKLIN COUNTY—G. B. Bailey received 27; Jerome Bailey received 38; Joseph D. Flanders received 1; Warren L. Manning received 1; J. B. Bailey received 1; A. Bailey received 1; George A. Sims received 1; J. C. Simmons received 1.

SEVENTEENTH DISTRICT.—HERKIMER COUNTY—H. P. Alexander received 3; N. S. Benton received 2. ST. LAWRENCE COUNTY—James C. Spencer received 2; William F. F. [illegible] received 1.

EIGHTEENTH DISTRICT.—MONTGOMERY COUNTY—John Frey received 3; Sylvanus S. John received 1. FULTON COUNTY—Thomas Horton received 2; Thomas R. Horton received 2; Horton received 1; Isaac Jackson received 1; R. J. Jackson received 1. SCHOHARIE COUNTY—Orville Clark received 12. SCHOHARIE COUNTY—John Frey received 1; Thomas Horton received 1.

NINETEENTH DISTRICT.—OTSEGO COUNTY—L. R. Palmer received 1; L. Palmer received 1; Harvey Hoose received 1; Reuben Hoof received 1; Ira Hogan received 1; Jonas C. Hughston received 1; Joseph Worden received 1; J. Judson received 1; Wm. B. Harris received 1; Rufus H. Hibbard received 1; Andrew Z. McCarty received 1. DELAWARE COUNTY—David George received 1; James Ellwood received 1; Thomas R. Horton received 6; J. G. Redfield received 1; Sturges received 1.

TWENTIETH DISTRICT.—O. B. Matteson received 117; Orasmus B. Mattoon received 5; Orasmus B. Matteson received 3; Noah Green received 1; Orasmus Mattesson received 1; Rosmus Matteson received 1; W. C. Johnson received 1; Benjamin Huntington received 2; James G. De Long received 1; Madison received 1; Orasmus B. Matson received 1; Jesse Talcott received 1; More received 1; Clark Burnham received 1; Dolphus Skinner received 2; Henry S. Armstrong received 1.

TWENTY-FIRST DISTRICT.—CHENANGO COUNTY—H. Bennett received 3; James E. N. Backus received 1; Clark Burnham received 1.

TWENTY-SECOND DISTRICT.—OSWEGO COUNTY—George Wood received 1; Blank received 1; Henry C. Goodwin received 16; Federal Dana received 1. MADISON COUNTY—Henry C. Goodwin received 1; Federal Dana received 1; Andrew Z. McCarty received 1; Aaron Clark received 1. Whole number of votes given for Representative in Congress, full term, were 37, of which Charles G. Case received 37.

TWENTY-THIRD DISTRICT.—LEWIS COUNTY—Ichabod Thompson received 1; Lysander Brown received 1; Reuben Goodall received 1; R. Goodall received 1. JEFFERSON COUNTY—Reuben Goodale received 7; John M. received 1; Ichabod Thompson received 1; Lysander H. Cook received 1; Wm. H. Gilbert received 1; [illegible] L. H. Brown received 6; Brown received 1; [illegible] Brown received 2; Good received 1; W. A. Gilbert received 1; Clark Burnham received 1; Lyo H. Brown received 1; Leander H. Brown received 1; Blank received 1; W. Ives received 6; Gilbert received 1; John L. Dunlop received 2; Edward Ives received 3; Willis Ives received 1; H. Brown received 3.

TWENTY-FOURTH DISTRICT.—ONONDAGA COUNTY—Benj. D. Noxon received 1; D. D. Noxon received 2; Davis Noxon received 1; Thomas Alvord received 1; A. H. Sherman received 1; Sandford Parker received 1; P. D. Noxon received 1; Amos P. Grang received 1; Daniel W. Jones received 1; Miss Lucy Stone received 1.

TWENTY-FIFTH DISTRICT.—CAYUGA COUNTY—E. B. Morgan received 12; Samuel G. Cuyler received 1; E. Davis Noxon received 1; Edwin Morgan received 1; [illegible] Middleton received 1; B. Morgan received 1. WAYNE COUNTY—E. B. Morgan received 4; Anthony I. Bristol received 1; James D. Ford received 1; Wm Aldrich received 2.

TWENTY-SIXTH DISTRICT.—ONTARIO COUNTY—William Oliver received 2; Thomas M. Howell received 3; Blank received 24; T. M. Howell received 6; T. M. Howell received 3; William H. Lobdell received 1; Thomas M. Howell received 1; Thomas H. Howell received 1. YATES COUNTY—James M. Howell received 1; J. L. Seely received 1; James L. Coly received 1; James Seely received 1; J. L. Seely received 1; Wm. M. Seely received 1; Seely received 1; Wm. Slosson received 1; Thomas Howell received 1; A. Oliver received 1; Green L. Brown received 1; D. L. Hoyt received 1; Wm. Oliver received 1; George Carr received 1; J. B. Andrews received 1; David Phelps received 1. SENECA COUNTY—T. M. Howell received 1; S. Lakey received 1; A. Oliver received 2; George B. Mahan received 1.

TWENTY-SEVENTH DISTRICT.—CHEMUNG COUNTY—[illegible] received 1; John G. McDowell received 1; Forrest Hill received 1; Polly Harris received 1. TOMPKINS COUNTY—S. E. Cushing received 3; George Crane received 1; J. M. Parker received 2; Blank received 6; [illegible] TIOGA COUNTY—Josiah B. Williams received 2; Henry Ward Beecher received 1; Anna Nelson received 1; C. S. E. received 1; J. B. Williams received 1. SCHUYLER COUNTY—S. E. Cushing received 1; Lemuel Gibbs received 1.

TWENTY-EIGHTH DISTRICT.—LIVINGSTON COUNTY—Kelsey received 1; Blank received 3; W. H. Kelsey received 3; Hastings received 2; G. Hastings received 1; Hastings received 1. STEUBEN COUNTY—Levi C. Whiting received 1; James E. Jones received 1.

TWENTY-NINTH DISTRICT.—MONROE COUNTY—D. [illegible] received 1.

THIRTIETH DISTRICT.—WYOMING COUNTY—H. Hatch received 1; John W. Brown received 1; Ira Gould received 1; [illegible] Blank received 1. ALLEGANY COUNTY—Benning Lening received 1; C. R. Belden received 1; L. Lansing received 1; N. V. Hall received 1; E. Pringle received 2; A. Lansing received 1; Hall received 1. GENESEE COUNTY—B. Pringle received 2; Sm. Pringle received 1; Earl King received 1.

THIRTY-FIRST DISTRICT.—NIAGARA COUNTY—T. T. Flagler received 11; A. S. Baker received 3; A. Baker received 1; Levi Wheat received 1; Ely Chase received 1; Israel T. Hatch received 1; E. I. Chase received 1; I. J. Chase received 1; [illegible] Robinson received 1.

THIRTY-SECOND DISTRICT.—ERIE COUNTY—I. T. Hatch received 1; S. G. Haven received 4; [illegible] received 1; C. H. Lee received 1; [illegible] received 1; F. S. Spalding received 1; [illegible] received 1.

THIRTY-THIRD DISTRICT.—CHAUTAUQUE COUNTY—Reuben E. Fenton received 3; C. W. F. Angel received 1; F. E. Edwards received 2; [illegible] Fenton received 1; Lester received 1; [illegible] received 1. CATTARAUGUS COUNTY—William P. Angel received 11; [illegible] received 1; [illegible] received 1; F. H. Fenton received 1; R. F. Fenton received 1.

JAS. M. COOK, Comptroller.
E. W. LEAVENWORTH, Secretary of State.
WM. PARMELEE, Mayor of Albany.
W. A. YOUNG, Recorder of Albany.

State of New-York, ss.—Statement of the whole number of votes given for REPRESENTATIVES in the Thirty-third Congress of the United States, in the Twelfth and Twenty-second Congressional Districts, to fill the vacancy in the former caused by the resignation of Honorable Gilbert Dean, and the vacancy in the latter caused by the resignation of Honorable Gerrit Smith, wherein the several Counties and Districts in which the said votes were given are distinguished:

TWELFTH DISTRICT.

Counties of	Isaac Teller.	Samuel F. B. Morse.	Charles Robinson.		
Dutchess	4,466	3,130	1,381	....	8,984
Columbia	3,676	1,874	1,542	....	7,303
Total	8,132	4,969	2,923	....	16,[illegible]

TWENTY-SECOND DISTRICT.

Counties of	Henry C. Goodwin.	Sidney T. Fairchild.	Ephraim T. Bentley.	Federal Dana.	
Madison	3,561	1,635	910	[illegible]	[illegible]
Oswego	3,249	2,529	779	2,189	10,000
Total	7,[illegible]	4,128	1,699	3,[illegible]	17,[illegible]

JAS. M. COOK, Comptroller.
E. W. LEAVENWORTH, Sec'y of State.
WM. PARMELEE, Mayor of Albany.
W. A. YOUNG, Recorder of Albany.

SCATTERING VOTES.

TWELFTH DISTRICT.—DUTCHESS COUNTY—S. F. B. Morse received 2; Samuel Morse received 3; Isaac received 3; Hugh McClelland received 1; Philip Furnaries received 1; Blank received 12; Charles Robinson received 1. COLUMBIA COUNTY—Morgan Williams received 1; Killian Miller received 5; F. B. Morse received 1; S. F. B. Morse received 3; Isaac Moore received 1; William H. Wilson received 1; Hugh W. McClelland received 2.

TWENTY-SECOND DISTRICT.—MADISON COUNTY—Henry Goodwin received 1; H. C. Goodwin received 3; E. P. Bentley received 2; E. Bentley received 1; Dan. Dunbar received 1. Whole number of votes given for Representative in Congress, to fill vacancy, were 37; Henry C. Goodwin received 26, and Federal Dana received 17. OSWEGO COUNTY—A. Z. McCarty received 10; Leander Babcock received 3; Charles G. Case received 4.

JAS. M. COOK, Comptroller.
E. W. LEAVENWORTH, Sec'y of State.
WM. PARMELEE, Mayor of Albany.
W. A. YOUNG, Recorder of Albany.

Resolutions respecting certain votes returned as scattering by the County Canvassers:

Resolved, That the following scattering votes be, and are hereby allowed to the respective candidates hereinafter named, and that they be added to the aggregate number regularly returned by the County Canvassers:

COUNTY OF ALBANY.—2 votes for Horatio Semore be allowed to Horatio Seymour for the office of Governor.

1 vote for Clark Burnham be allowed Clark Burnham for Canal Commissioner.

COUNTY OF GENESEE.—1 vote for Wm. H. Ludlow be allowed William H. Ludlow for Lieutenant Governor.

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON.—1 vote for Henry Fitzhu be allowed to Henry Fitzhugh for Canal Commissioner.

COUNTY OF ONEIDA.—1 vote for Miron H. Clark be allowed to Myron H. Clark for the office of Governor.

COUNTY OF ONTARIO.—3 votes for Thos. M. Howell be allowed to Thomas M. Howell for Representative in Congress.

COUNTY OF ORLEANS.—6 votes for Wm. H. Ludlow be allowed to William H. Ludlow for Lieutenant Governor.

COUNTY OF SARATOGA.—10 votes for Clark Burnam be allowed to Clark Burnham for Canal Commissioner.

COUNTY OF SULLIVAN.—1,116 votes for Henry Fitzhue be allowed to Henry Fitzhugh for Canal Commissioner.

COUNTY OF WARREN.—5 votes for James P. Sanders be allowed to James P. Sanders for State Prison Inspector.

COUNTY OF WASHINGTON.—1 vote for Charles Hews be allowed to Charles Hughes for Representative for Congress. 1 vote for Chs. Hews be allowed Charles Hughes for Representative for Congress. 1 vote for Charles Hughs be allowed to Charles Hughes for Representative for Congress. 1 vote for Chas. Hughs be allowed to Charles Hughes for Representative for Congress.

2 votes for Wm. B. Andrews be allowed to William B. Andrews for State Prison Inspector.

1 vote for Horatio Semore be allowed to Horatio Seymour for the office of Governor.

COUNTY OF WAYNE.—6 votes for James P. Saunders be allowed to James P. Sanders for State Prison Inspector.

1 vote for Wm. H. Ludlow be allowed to William H. Ludlow for Lieutenant Governor.

COUNTY OF YATES.—1 vote for James L. Coly be allowed to James B. Seely for Representative for Congress.

Resolved, That 1 vote in each of the Counties of Columbia, Herkimer, Monroe, Otsego and Ulster, and 4 votes in the County of Fulton, given for Oratio Seymour, be and are hereby allowed to Horatio Seymour for the office of Governor, and that they be added to the aggregate of each County as returned by the County Canvassers.

JAS. M. COOK, Chairman of the Board.
E. W. LEAVENWORTH, Secretary of the Board.

State of New-York, ss.—We, the Secretary of State and the Comptroller of the said State, and the Mayor and Recorder of the City of Albany, who were notified to attend in consequence of the inability of the State Engineer and Surveyor, Attorney-General, and Treasurer to attend, having formed a BOARD OF STATE CANVASSERS, and having canvassed and estimated the whole number of votes given for GOVERNOR and LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR at the General Election held in the said State on the Seventh day of November, 1854, according to the certified statements of the said votes received by the Secretary of State, in the manner directed by law, DO HEREBY DETERMINE, DECLARE AND CERTIFY, That MYRON H. CLARK was, by the greatest number of votes given at the said Election, duly elected GOVERNOR of the said State; and that HENRY J. RAYMOND was, by the greatest number of votes given at the said Election, duly elected to the office of LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR of the said State.

Given under our hands at the Secretary's Office in said State, in the city of Albany, the Ninth day of December, in

the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.
E. W. LEAVENWORTH, Secretary of State.
JAS. M. COOK, Comptroller.
WM. PARMELEE, Mayor of Albany.
W. A. YOUNG, Recorder of Albany.

State of New-York, ss.—We, the Secretary of State, and the Comptroller of the said State, and the Mayor and Recorder of the City of Albany, who were notified to attend in consequence of the inability of the State Engineer and Surveyor, Attorney-General and Treasurer to attend, having formed a BOARD OF STATE CANVASSERS, and having canvassed and estimated the whole number of votes given for CANAL COMMISSIONER, at the General Election, held in the said State on the Seventh day of November, 1854, according to the certified statements of the said votes received by the Secretary of State, in the manner directed by law, DO HEREBY DETERMINE, DECLARE AND CERTIFY, That HENRY FITZHUGH was, by the greatest number of votes given at the said election, duly elected CANAL COMMISSIONER of the said State.

Given under our hands, at the Secretary's Office, at the City of Albany, the Ninth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.
E. W. LEAVENWORTH, Secretary of State.
JAS. M. COOK, Comptroller.
WM. PARMELEE, Mayor of Albany.
W. A. YOUNG, Recorder of Albany.

State of New-York, ss.—We, the Secretary of State, and the Comptroller of the said State, and the Mayor and Recorder of the city of Albany, who were notified to attend in consequence of the inability of the State Engineer and Surveyor, the Attorney-General, and the Treasurer to attend, having formed a BOARD OF STATE CANVASSERS, and having canvassed and estimated the whole number of votes given for INSPECTOR OF STATE PRISONS at a General Election held in said State, on the Seventh day of November, 1854, according to the certified statements of the said votes received by the Secretary of State, in the manner directed by law, DO HEREBY DETERMINE, DECLARE AND CERTIFY, That NORWOOD BOWNE, by the greatest number of votes given at the said Election, was duly elected INSPECTOR OF STATE PRISONS of the said State.

Given under our hands, at the Secretary's Office of the State, in the city of Albany, the Ninth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.
E. W. LEAVENWORTH, Secretary of State.
JAS. M. COOK, Comptroller.
WM. PARMELEE, Mayor of Albany.
W. A. YOUNG, Recorder of Albany.

State of New-York, ss.—We, the Secretary of State, and the Comptroller of the said State, and the Mayor and Recorder of the City of Albany, who were notified to attend in consequence of the inability of the State Engineer and Surveyor, Attorney-General and Treasurer to attend, having formed a BOARD OF STATE CANVASSERS, and having canvassed and estimated the whole number of votes given for REPRESENTATIVES IN CONGRESS at a General Election held in said State, on the Seventh day of November, 1854, according to the certified statements of the said votes received by the Secretary of State, in the manner directed by law, DO HEREBY DETERMINE, DECLARE AND CERTIFY that the following persons, respectively, by the greatest number of votes given in the several Congressional Districts of the State, were elected REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF NEW-YORK IN THE THIRTY-FOURTH CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES, to wit:

FIRST DISTRICT—WILLIAM W. VALK.
SECOND DISTRICT—JAMES S. T. STRANAHAN.
THIRD DISTRICT—GUY R. PELTON.
FOURTH DISTRICT—JOHN KELLY.
FIFTH DISTRICT—THOMAS R. WHITNEY.
SIXTH DISTRICT—JOHN WHEELER.
SEVENTH DISTRICT—THOMAS CHILDS, Jr.
EIGHTH DISTRICT—ABRAM WAKEMAN.
NINTH DISTRICT—BAYARD CLARK.
TENTH DISTRICT—AMBROSE S. MURRAY.
ELEVENTH DISTRICT—RUFUS H. KING.
TWELFTH DISTRICT—KILLIAN MILLER.
THIRTEENTH DISTRICT—RUSSELL SAGE.
FOURTEENTH DISTRICT—SAMUEL DICKSON.
FIFTEENTH DISTRICT—EDWARD DODD.
SIXTEENTH DISTRICT—GEORGE A. SIMMONS.
SEVENTEENTH DISTRICT—FRANCIS E. SPINNER.
EIGHTEENTH DISTRICT—THOMAS R. HORTON.
NINETEENTH DISTRICT—JONAS A. HUGHSTON.
TWENTIETH DISTRICT—ORAMUS B. MATTESON.
TWENTY-FIRST DISTRICT—HENRY BENNETT.
TWENTY-SECOND DISTRICT—ANDREW Z. McCARTY.
TWENTY-THIRD DISTRICT—WILLIAM A. GILBERT.
TWENTY-FOURTH DISTRICT—AMOS P. GRANGER.
TWENTY-FIFTH DISTRICT—EDWIN B. MORGAN.
TWENTY-SIXTH DISTRICT—ANDREW OLIVER.
TWENTY-SEVENTH DISTRICT—JOHN M. PARKER.
TWENTY-EIGHTH DISTRICT—WILLIAM H. KELSEY.
TWENTY-NINTH DISTRICT—JOHN WILLIAMS.
THIRTIETH DISTRICT—BENJAMIN PRINGLE.
THIRTY-FIRST DISTRICT—THOMAS T. FLAGLER.
THIRTY-SECOND DISTRICT—SOLOMON G. HAVEN.
THIRTY-THIRD DISTRICT—FRANCIS S. EDWARDS.

Given under our hands, at the Secretary of State's Office, in the city of Albany, the Ninth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.
E. W. LEAVENWORTH, Secretary of State.
JAS. M. COOK, Comptroller.
WM. PARMELEE, Mayor of Albany.
W. A. YOUNG, Recorder of Albany.

State of New-York, ss.—We the Secretary of State, and the Comptroller of the said State, and the Mayor and Recorder of the City of Albany, who were notified to attend in consequence of the inability of the State Engineer and Surveyor, Attorney-General and Treasurer to attend, having formed a BOARD OF STATE CANVASSERS, and having canvassed and estimated the whole number of votes given for REPRESENTATIVES IN CONGRESS in the TWELFTH and TWENTY-SECOND DISTRICTS, to fill the vacancies caused by the resignation of GILBERT DEAN in the former, and GERRIT SMITH in the latter, at a General Election held on the Seventh day of November, 1854, according to the certified statements of the said votes received by the Secretary of State, in the manner required by law, DO HEREBY DETERMINE, DECLARE AND CERTIFY that ISAAC TELLER was elected in the former District, and HENRY C. GOODWIN in the latter District, REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF NEW-YORK IN THE THIRTY-THIRD CONGRESS, by the greatest number of votes given in said Districts respectively.

Given under our hands, at the Office of the Secretary of State, in the city of Albany, the Ninth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.
E. W. LEAVENWORTH, Secretary of State.
JAS. M. COOK, Comptroller.
W. PARMELEE, Mayor of Albany.
W. A. YOUNG, Recorder of Albany.

State of New-York, Secretary's Office.—I have compared the foregoing copies of Statements and Certificates of Canvass with the originals on file in this office, and certify that the same are correct transcripts therefrom, and of the whole of such originals.

Given under my hand and seal of office, at the City of Albany, this Ninth day of December, 1854.
E. W. LEAVENWORTH, Secretary of State.

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BUCKHAM & SMALES,
Plaintiffs' Attorneys.
N. B.—The complaint in this action was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at the City Hall in the city of Brooklyn, on the 29th of November, 1854.—Dated Dec. 1, 1854.
BUCKHAM & SMALES,
d7-lawGwTh Plaintiffs' Attorneys.

NEW-YORK SUPREME COURT.—ROBERT H. McCURDY, HERMAN D. ALDRICH, WILLIAM SPENCER, THEODORE F. McCURDY, and OLIVER HARRIMAN against WILLIAM R. ROBINSON and GEORGE H. TINGLEY.—Summons for relief.—(Com. not ser.)—To the defendant WILLIAM R. ROBINSON: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at the City Hall in the City of Brooklyn, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, at their office, at No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New-York, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiffs in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated Nov. 27, 1854.
BUCKHAM & SMALES, Plaintiffs' Attorneys.
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NEW-YORK SUPREME COURT.—LUKE W. THOMAS and JONATHAN W. THOMAS against WILLIAM R. ROBINSON and GEORGE H. TINGLEY.—Summons for relief.—(Com. not ser.)—To the defendant WILLIAM R. ROBINSON: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at the City Hall in the city of Brooklyn, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, at their office, at No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New-York, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiffs in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated New-York, Aug. 3, 1854.
BUCKHAM & SMALES, Plaintiffs' Attorneys.
N. B.—The complaint in this action was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at the City Hall of the city of Brooklyn, on the 4th day of August, 1854.—Dated Nov. 29, 1854.
BUCKHAM & SMALES,
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NEW-YORK SUPREME COURT.—City and County of New-York.—JAMES JOHNSON and EBENEZER DALE, plaintiffs, against JOSEPH HOXIE, Jr., and EDWIN BURR, defendants.—Summons for relief.—(Com. not ser.)—To the defendant, JOSEPH HOXIE, Jr.: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New-York, at the City Hall in said City, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers at their office, No. 111 Broadway, in said City, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiffs in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated New-York, July 28, 1854.
BUCKHAM & SMALES, Plaintiffs' Attorneys.
N. B.—The complaint in this action was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New-York, at the City Hall in the City of New-York, on the 17th day of Nov., 1854.—Dated Dec. 1, 1854. d7-lawGwTh
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NEW-YORK SUPREME COURT.—ROBERT H. McCURDY, HERMAN D. ALDRICH, WILLIAM SPENCER, THEODORE F. McCURDY, and OLIVER HARRIMAN, against WILLIAM R. ROBINSON and GEORGE H. TINGLEY.—Summons for Relief.—(Com. not ser.)—To the defendant, WILLIAM R. ROBINSON: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at the City Hall in the City of Brooklyn, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers at their office, at No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New-York, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiffs in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated Nov. 27, 1854.
BUCKHAM & SMALES,
Plaintiffs' Attorneys.
N. B.—The complaint in this action was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at the City Hall in the City of Brooklyn, on the 29th day of November, 1854.—Dated Dec. 1, 1854.
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NEW-YORK SUPREME COURT.—City and County of New-York.—ARMAND LACHAISE and VICTOR FAUCHE, plaintiffs, against JOSEPH HOXIE, Jr., and EDWIN BURR, defendants.—Summons for relief.—(Com. not ser.)—To the defendant, JOSEPH HOXIE, Jr.: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New-York, at the City Hall in said City, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, at their office, No. 111 Broadway, in said City, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiffs in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated New-York, July 28, 1854. BUCKHAM & SMALES, Plt'ffs' Att'ys.
N. B.—The complaint in this action was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New-York, at the City Hall in the City of New-York, on the 17th day of November, 1854.—Dated Dec. 1, 1854.
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NEW-YORK SUPREME COURT.—The BLACKSTONE MANUFACTURING COMPANY against WILLIAM R. ROBINSON and GEORGE H. TINGLEY.—Summons for relief.—(Com. not ser.)—To the defendant, WILLIAM R. ROBINSON: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at the City Hall in the City of Brooklyn, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, at their office, at No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New-York, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in the action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated Nov. 27, 1854.
BUCKHAM & SMALES, Plaintiffs' Attorneys.
N. B.—The complaint in this action was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at the City Hall in the City of Brooklyn, on the 29th day of November, 1854.—Dated Dec. 1, 1854.
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NEW-YORK SUPREME COURT.—City and County of New-York.—SAMUEL L. BUSH and ALEXANDER MUNKITTRICK against JOSEPH HOXIE, Jr., and EDWIN BURR.—Summons for relief.—(Com. not ser.)—To the defendant, JOSEPH HOXIE, Jr.: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk in the City and County of New-York, at the City Hall in said City, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers at their office, No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New-York, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiffs in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated New-York, July 28, 1854.
BUCKHAM & SMALES, Plaintiffs' Attorneys.
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BUCKHAM & SMALES, Plaintiffs' Attorneys.

NEW-YORK SUPREME COURT.—City and County of New-York.—GEORGE W. WRIGHT, plaintiff, against JOSEPH HOXIE, Jr., and EDWIN BURR, defendants.—Summons for relief.—(Com. not ser.)—To the defendant, JOSEPH HOXIE, Jr.: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New-York, at the City Hall in said City, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers at their office, No. 111 Broadway, in said City, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated New-York, July 28, 1854.
BUCKMAN & SMALES, Plaintiff's Attorneys.
N. B.—The complaint in this action was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New-York, at the City Hall in the City of New-York, on the 17th day of November, 1854.—Dated Dec. 1, 1854. [d7-lawGwTh
BUCKHAM & SMALES, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

NEW-YORK SUPREME COURT.—GEORGE W. WRIGHT against WILLIAM R. ROBINSON and GEORGE H. TINGLEY.—Summons for relief.—(Com. not ser.)—To the defendant, WILLIAM R. ROBINSON: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at the City Hall in the city of Brooklyn, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers at their office, at No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New-York, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated New-York, Aug. 3, 1854.
BUCKHAM & SMALES,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.
N. B.—The complaint in this action was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at the City Hall in the city of Brooklyn, on the 4th day of August, 1854.—Dated Nov. 29, 1854.
BUCKHAM & SMALES,
d7-lawGwTh Plaintiff's Attorneys.

COUNTY COURT, KINGS COUNTY.—HOSEA WEBSTER, Plaintiff, against GARRETT G. SCHOONMAKER and HANNAH ANN his wife, MARY VAN VELSOR, LEWIS K. OSBORN and JOHN DOUGLASS, Defendants.—Summons in Mortgage Case.—To LEWIS K. OSBORN, one of the Defendants.—Sir: You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this Case, which was filed in Kings County Clerk's Office on the 29th day of June, 1854, and serve a copy of your answer on me, at my Office, No. 241 Fulton-st., Brooklyn, within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the complaint as aforesaid, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated June 29, 1854.
JOHN P. ROLFE, Plaintiff's Attorney,
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NEW-YORK, Dec. 14, 1854.

NEW-YORK SUPREME COURT.—GEORGE D. JARVIS and HENRY COMMERAIS against FREDERIC GERARDIN.—Summons for money demand on contract.—(Com. on ser.)—To the above named defendant: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New-York at the City Hall, in the City of New-York, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers at their office, No. 111 Broadway, in said City, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiffs in this action will take judgment against you for the sum of [illegible] Dollars and [illegible] Cents, with interest from the 20th day of June, 1854, besides the costs of this action.—Dated New-York, Nov. 1, 1854. BUCKHAM & SMALES,
[illegible] Plaintiffs' Attorneys.
N. B.—The complaint in this action was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New-York, on the 22d day of November, A. D. 1854.
BUCKHAM & SMALES, Plaintiffs' Attorneys.

NEW-YORK SUPREME COURT.—HUGH AUCHINCLOSS, JOHN AUCHINCLOSS, and HUGH AUCHINCLOSS, Jr., against WILLIAM R. ROBINSON and GEORGE H. TINGLEY.—Summons for relief.—(Com. not ser.)—To the defendant, WILLIAM R. ROBINSON: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at the City Hall, in the city of Brooklyn, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, at their office, No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New-York, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiffs in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated Nov. 27, 1854.
BUCKHAM & SMALES, Plaintiffs' Attorneys.
N. B.—The complaint in this action was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at the City Hall in the city of Brooklyn, on the 29th day of November, 1854.—Dated Dec. 1, 1854.
BUCKHAM & SMALES, Plaintiffs' Attorneys.
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NEW-YORK SUPREME COURT.—JAMES G. DALE and LEMUEL A. MAY, plaintiffs, against WILLIAM R. ROBINSON and GEORGE H. TINGLEY, defendants.—Summons for Relief.—(Com. not ser.)—To the defendant WILLIAM R. ROBINSON: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at the City Hall in the city of Brooklyn, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, at their office, No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New-York, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiffs in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated New-York, Aug. 3, 1854.
BUCKHAM & SMALES, Plaintiffs' Attorneys.
N. B.—The complaint in this action was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at the City Hall in the city of Brooklyn, on the 4th day of August, 1854.—Dated Nov. 29, 1854. BUCKHAM & SMALES,
d7-lawGwTh Plaintiffs' Attorneys.

NEW-YORK SUPREME COURT.—SAMUEL L. BUSH and ALEXANDER MUNKITTRICK against WILLIAM R. ROBINSON and GEORGE H. TINGLEY.—Summons for relief—(Com. not served.)—To the defendant, WILLIAM R. ROBINSON: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings at the City Hall, in the City of Brooklyn, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers at their office, No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New-York, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiffs in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated Nov. 27, 1854.
BUCKHAM & SMALES, Plaintiffs' Attorneys.
N. B.—The complaint in this action was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at the City Hall in the city of Brooklyn, on the 29th day of November, 1854.—Dated Dec. 1, 1854. BUCKHAM & SMALES,
d7-lawGwTh Plaintiffs' Attorneys.

NEW-YORK SUPREME COURT.—GEORGE E. STONE, SAMUEL BATES and JAMES M. STONE against WILLIAM R. ROBINSON and GEORGE H. TINGLEY.—Summons for relief.—(Com. not ser.)—To the defendant, WILLIAM R. ROBINSON: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at the City Hall in the city of Brooklyn, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, at their office, No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New-York, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiffs in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated Nov. 27, 1854.
BUCKHAM & SMALES, Plaintiffs' Attorneys.
N. B.—The complaint in this action was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at the City Hall in the city of Brooklyn, on the 29th day of November, 1854.—Dated Dec. 1, 1854. BUCKHAM & SMALES,
d7-lawGwTh Plaintiffs' Attorneys.

NEW-YORK SUPREME COURT.—City and County of New-York.—JAMES G. DALE and LEMUEL A. MAY, Plaintiffs, against JOSEPH HOXIE, Jr., and EDWIN BURR, Defendants.—Summons for relief.—(Com. not ser.)—To the defendant, JOSEPH HOXIE, Jr.: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New-York, at the City Hall in said City, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers, at their office, No. 111 Broadway, in said City, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiffs in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated New-York, July 28, 1854. BUCKHAM & SMALES,
Plaintiffs' Attorneys.
N. B.—The complaint in this action was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New-York, at the City Hall, in the City of New-York, on the 17th day of November, 1854.—Dated Dec. 1, 1854. [d7-lawGwTh
BUCKHAM & SMALES, Plaintiffs' Attorneys.

SUPREME COURT.—Westchester County.—ARMAND L. MALHERBE against MARCEL GRIPSON DESCHAMPS.—Summons for relief.—To the above named defendant: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, at White Plains, in said County, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber, at his office, No. 149 Broadway, in the City, County and State of New-York, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated New-York, Oct. 7, 1854.
WM. VENVILL,
Plaintiff's Attorney, No. 149 Broadway, New-York.
The complaint in this action was filed in the office of the Clerk of Westchester County, on the 11th day of October, 1854. [o12-lawGwTh

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER of the Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against LEVI SCRIBNER, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, ARCHIBALD L. HYATT, at No. [illegible], in the City of New-York, on or before the 20th day of April next.—Dated New-York, Oct. 12, 1854.
E. GAY SCRIBNER, Administratrix.
ARCHIBALD L. HYATT,
o13-lawGmTh JAMES BARCMORE, } Administrators.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER of JESSE C. SMITH, Esq., Surrogate of the County of Kings, notice is hereby given according to law, to all persons having claims against STEPHEN E. COLE, late of the City of Brooklyn, deceased, that they are required to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, THOMAS T. GUION, at his residence, No. 281 Jay-st., in the City of Brooklyn, on or before the 12th day of December next.—Dated June 8, 1854.
HARRIET A. COLE,
je8-lawGmTh THOMAS T. GUION, } Administrators.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER of the Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against ELIPHALET CHICHESTER, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, at the office of CUMMINGS, ALEXANDER & GREEN, No. 19 Wall-st., in the City of New-York, on or before the 12th day of February next.—Dated New-York, Aug. 8, 1854.
JOHN J. FIELD,
au10-lawGmTh* SUSAN CHICHESTER, } Administrators.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER of the Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against JOHN FORSYTH, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at the residence of WM. FORSYTH, No. 177 Franklin-st., in the City of New-York, on or before the 19th day of February next.—Dated New-York, Aug. 15, 1854.
MARY FORSYTH, Administratrix.
au17-lawGmTh* WM. FORSYTH, Administrator.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER of the Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against GEORGE F. WAITE, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at her residence in [illegible]-st., between 2d and 3d aves., in the City of New-York, on or before the 1st day of March next.—Dated New-York, Aug. 28, 1854.
MARIA E. WAITE, Administratrix.
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IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER of the Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against BALTHASER KRESS, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at the office of STILWELL & SWAIN, Attorneys, &c., No. 11 Chambers-st., in the City of New-York, on or before the 4th day of January next.—Dated New-York, June 14, 1854.
BARBARA KRESS, Administratrix of
je15-lawGmTh* BALTHASER KRESS, deceased.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER of the Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against NATHANIEL H. VAN WINKLE, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at her residence, No. 105 West 18th-st., in the City of New-York, on or before the 7th day of February next.—Dated New-York, Aug. 2, 1854.
NANCY VAN WINKLE, Administratrix.
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IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER of the Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against ANSON G. PHELPS, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at the office of Estate of ANSON G. PHELPS, No. [illegible], in the City of New-York, on or before the 6th day of January next.—Dated New-York, July 5, 1854.
jy6-lawGmTh* OLIVIA PHELPS, Executrix.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER of the Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against AMOS C. BEECHER, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at the office of RICHARD G. PARDEE, No. 26 Park-row, in the City of New-York, on or before the 11th day of December next.—Dated New-York, June 7, 1854. JULIA B. BEECHER, Executrix.
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IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER of the Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against CHARLES GWYER, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscriber, at the office of Peter A. H. Jackson, No. 102 Broadway, in the City of New-York, on or before the [illegible] day of June next.—Dated New-York, Dec. 12, 1854. CHRISTOPHER GWYER,
d21-lawGmTh* Administrator.

BOWERY EXTENSION TO FRANKLIN SQUARE.—The area of assessment herein includes property in the 1st, IIId, IVth, VIth, VIIth, Xth, XIVth, XVIth and XVIIth Wards, from Old-slip to 14th-st. All who are opposed to extension and oppressive taxation and to this ruinous speculation, are requested to call without delay at the office of the subscriber, to ascertain the amount of their assessments and take measures to oppose the same.
JIREH BULL, No. 13 Division-st.

SUPREME COURT.—In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New-York, relative to the OPENING OF THE NINTH AVENUE, from [illegible] to [illegible], in said City. We, the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, do hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, as follows, to wit:
First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons whose interests are affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to WILLIAM SINCLAIR, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of Commissioners, No. 32 Chambers-st., (2d story, front room,) in this City, on or before the 18th day of November, 1854.
Second—That any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by the said estimate and assessment will be heard in opposition to the same, before us, at the same place, at 2 o'clock P. M., on the 21 day of December, 1854.
Third—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Street Commissioner's Office of the City and County of New-York, there to remain until the 22d day of December, 1854.
Fourth—That the limits embraced by the said assessment are as follows: All those pieces or parcels of land situated and being in the City of New-York, [illegible]
Fifth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New-York at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the City Hall, in the said City, on SATURDAY, the 30th day of December, A. D. 1854, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, a motion will be made that said report be confirmed.
WILLIAM SINCLAIR,
GERSHOM COHEN,
JOHN O'KEEFE, } Commissioners.
NEW-YORK, Oct. 11, 1854.

SUPREME COURT.—In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New-York, relative to the OPENING OF EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, from the 5th-av. to the East River, in the City of New-York.—We, the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment herein, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, as follows, to wit:
First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons whose interests are affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to WILLIAM WORDSWORTH, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 32 Chambers-st., (second story, front room,) in this City, on or before the 28th day of November, 1854.
Second—That any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by said estimate and assessment will be heard in opposition to the same, before us, at the same place, at 2 o'clock P. M., on the 9th day of December, 1854.
Third—That the abstract of said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, and other documents, which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Street Commissioner's Office of the City and County of New-York, there to remain until the 29th day of December, 1854.
Fourth—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows: All those pieces of land, situated in the said City, between the easterly side of the 5th-av. and the East River, and extending on the northerly and southerly sides of 81st-st., to the middle of the blocks on either side thereof; and
Fifth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New-York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the City Hall in the said City, on SATURDAY, the 30th day of December, A. D. 1854, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, a motion will be made that said report be confirmed.
WILLIAM WORDSWORTH,
ARTHUR T. MILLS,
ABRAHAM MOORE, } Commissioners.
NEW-YORK, Oct. 17, 1854.

SUPREME COURT.—In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New-York, relative to THE OPENING OF SEVENTY-THIRD-STREET, from the 3d-av. to the East River, in the City of New-York, We, the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots, and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, as follows, to wit:
First—That we have completed our Estimate and Assessment, and that all persons whose interests are affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to PATRICK KELLY, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 32 Chambers-st., (2d story, front room,) in the City, on or before the 23d day of December, 1854.
Second—That any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by the said Estimate and Assessment will be heard in opposition to the same, before us, at the same place, at 2 o'clock, P. M. on the 4th day of January, 1855.
Third—That the abstract of the said Estimate and Assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Street Commissioner's Office of the City and County of New-York, there to remain until the 27th day of January, 1855.
Fourth—That the limits embraced by the Assessment aforesaid are as follows: All those pieces of land situated in the said City, between the westerly side of the 3d-av. and the East River, and extending on the northerly and southerly sides of 73d-st. to the middle of the blocks on either side thereof; and
Fifth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New-York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the City Hall in the said City, on Saturday, the 27th day of January, A. D. 1855, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, a motion will be made that said report be confirmed.
PATRICK KELLY,
MICHAEL A. REED,
ANTHONY V. GALLAGHER, } Commissioners.
NEW-YORK, Nov. 18, 1854.

SUPREME COURT.—In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New-York, relative to THE OPENING AND LAYING OUT OF A PUBLIC SQUARE, KNOWN AS BLOOMINGDALE SQUARE, in the [illegible] Ward of said City. We, the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots, and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, as follows, to wit:
First—That we have completed our Estimate and Assessment, and that all persons whose interests are affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to MOSES MAYNARD, Jr., Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, J. M. DAVIES, No. 71 Wall-st., in this City, on or before the 26th day of December, 1854.
Second—That any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by said Estimate and Assessment, will be heard in opposition to the same, before us, at the office of JOHN A. WEEKS, No. 59 Wall-st., in said City, at 2 o'clock P. M., on the 12th day of January, 1855.
Third—That the Abstract of the said Estimate and Assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Street Commissioner's Office of the City and County of New-York, there to remain until the 3d day of February, 1855.
Fourth—That the limits embraced by the said assessment are as follows: All those pieces of land situated in the said City, bounded, described and contained as follows, that is to say: [illegible]
Fifth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of State of New-York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the City Hall in the said City, on Saturday, the 24 day of February, A. D. 1855, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.
MOSES MAYNARD, Jr.,
JOHN A. WEEKS,
JOSEPH S. YORK, } Commissioners.
NEW-YORK, Nov. 28, 1854.

SUPREME COURT.—In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New-York, relative to the OPENING OF THAT PART OF FIRST-AVENUE, not already opened, from 42d-st., to Harlem River, in the XIIth and XIXth Wards of said City.—We, the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots, and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, as follows, to wit:
First—That we have completed our Estimate and Assessment, and that all persons whose interests are affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to JONATHAN W. ALLEN, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, Chambers-st., City Hall of the City of New-York, on or before the 21 day of January, 1855.
Second—That any person or persons who may consider themselves aggrieved by the said Estimate and Assessment will be heard in opposition to the same, before us, at the same place, at 2 o'clock P. M., on the 18th day of January, 1855.
Third—That the Abstract of said Estimate and Assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, and other documents, which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Street Commissioner's Office, of the City and County of New-York, there to remain until the 10th day of February, 1855.
Fourth—That the limits embraced by the Assessment aforesaid, are as follows: [illegible]
Fifth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New-York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the City Hall in the said City, on Saturday, the 24th day of February, A. D. 1855, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, a motion will be made that said report be confirmed.
JONATHAN W. ALLEN,
GEORGE M. PURSER,
WM. SINCLAIR, } Commissioners.
NEW-YORK, Nov. 24, 1854.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER of the Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against JOHN BRADY, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at [illegible], in the City of New-York, on or before the 13th day of January next.—Dated New-York, July 11, 1854.
ANN BRADY,
jy13-lawGmTh* JAMES BRADY, } Administrators.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER of the Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against WILLIAM STORM, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at his residence, No. 21 Charlton-st., in the City of New-York, on or before the [illegible] day of February next.—Dated New-York, July 13, 1854.
GEORGE PAULDING,
jy13-lawGmTh* One of the Administrators.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER of JESSE C. SMITH, Esq., Surrogate of the County of Kings, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against ROBERTS MANSION, late of the City of Brooklyn, deceased, that they are required to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at [illegible] Columbia-st., in the City of Brooklyn, on or before the [illegible] day of June next.—Dated Dec. 12, 1854.
GABRIEL YARM [illegible], Administrator.
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NEW-YORK CITY.

LEGISLATIVE VISIT.

Visit of the New-York Delegation to the Institution for the Deaf and Dumb and the House of Refuge.

Agreeably to invitation extended by the Board of Trustees of the House of Refuge and the Board of Directors of the Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, the members of the New-York Delegation to the next Legislature, paid a visit yesterday to the above named institutions. Among the Members we noticed ERASTUS BROOKS, Esq., of the Senate, and Messrs. COLEMAN, LEIGH, BLATCHFORD, COOKE, PETTY, AITKEN, and others, of the Lower House.

The company first proceeded to Randall's Island, to view the operations in the new House of Refuge, recently completed. All of its various departments were visited, and much satisfaction seemed to be exhibited by all the visitors as to the arrangement and practical workings of the Institution. After partaking of a substantial collation, the company crossed to the City and proceeded at once to the Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, where they were received by President PEET, the Principal.

The company was then conducted into the Chapel where the pupils, numbering at present 260 were seated. After a brief statement by the President, in relation to the progress of the pupils, a class of little girls which had been under instruction eighteen months, were examined, to show the results of the system of instruction pursued in the Institution. The next class was one composed of the pupils who entered the Institution in September last. They were able to write on the blackboard the names of many ordinary objects when requested by their teacher, in the sign language. All of the exercises elicited general admiration.

The high class next took their position before the blackboard and clothed in appropriate language their thoughts excited by the occasion. The ideas in many instances were extremely beautiful. The class was examined in Rhetoric and with credit to themselves. After the exercises were closed the company adjourned to the Library and partook of some excellent refreshments.

Gen. WETMORE, Vice-President of the Board of Directors, made a brief address. He adverted to the growing prosperity of the institution and the amount of good that was accruing to an unfortunate class of our fellow creatures through the assistance which had been rendered by the State and the excellent system of instruction which was pursued. He spoke of the responsibility which had been incurred by the Board of Directors, in the purchase of the property adjoining the Institution, some years since, at a cost of $40,000, and which had been since sold at a profit of $200,000. In the past it had been their pride to say that none of that class of unfortunates had been refused the benefits of the Institution because the State had not made a provision for any above a limited number, (though that limitation was now removed;) but they had now within their walls two hundred and eighty pupils, and for the want of room were now unable to accommodate any more. Anticipating this state of facts the Board of Directors had purchased forty acres of land at Fairwood, for [illegible], and had laid the plans for a building to accommodate [illegible] pupils; and the speaker expected that, with [illegible] provision, even within ten years shall have passed, all of the space in this large edifice will be occupied for the purposes of the various departments of the Institution. $150,000 had been expended on the building, and $100,000 was required to complete it. They had no endowments to rely upon. Their present property would sell for $75,000 in prosperous times, and under more favorable circumstances, when Eleventh-avenue is opened, the sale of a small portion of their Fairwood property would furnish them with means. Under the circumstances, they desired to secure aid from the State to the extent of $50,000, which, if secured, they thought they would be able to get the other $50,000 if necessary for the completion of the building from another source. The property, which had been already acquired through the sagacity of the Directors was the property of the State—the Directors having no interest whatever in it—they devoting their services to the interests of the Institution gratuitously. Under these circumstances, the speaker thought that the Legislature would not object to giving the aid asked, for the education of children of our own State—the amount to be expended on the property of the State.

ERASTUS BROOKS, Esq., of the Senate, and Mr. BLATCHFORD, of the Assembly, made some interesting remarks. They both stated the interest they had felt in the exercises they had witnessed, and doubted not but that the Legislature would be found willing to cooperate in so excellent an object as the education of the Deaf and Dumb.

At 5 o'clock the company left.

Robbery of Money and Notes.

CATHERINE DAVIS, GEORGE FRALCH and PETER WILLIAMS, were taken into custody on Tuesday, on suspicion of having, on the 9th instant, robbed Mr. JOHN UPDEGRAFF, of No. 155 Spring-street, of a port-monnaie containing $600 in bank notes, and upwards of $9,000 in promissory notes. Mr. UPDEGRAFF attended one of the theatres, after which on his way home he called at the lager bier saloon, corner of Tryon-row and Chatham-street, where he met the defendants, who became very familiar. Sundry drinks were indulged in, and more frequent familiarities were indulged in. Mr. UPDEGRAFF had valuable jewelry about him when he entered the cellar, but before leaving it had vanished, although unknown to him until the following morning, when he awoke at his own house. The absence of his jewelry excited suspicion that his money and notes might be gone also, and to his astonishment on making an examination, his fears were realized—money, notes and all were gone. He hastened back to the beer cellar and recovered a portion of his jewelry, which was found on the floor by the woman DAVIS, as she was sweeping the place out. Information was at once given to the police authorities, but no trace of the property has been obtained. Nothing was found on the prisoners which would connect them with the robbery. They were taken before Justice WOOD and temporarily committed for a hearing.

Commissioners of Emigration.

The Commissioners of Emigration held their regular weekly meeting yesterday. The weekly report was submitted as follows:

Alien Emigrants arrived up to 13th inst.	296,004
Aliens arrived since, up to the week ending 20th inst.	4,984
Total	300,988
Aggregate receipts to 13th inst.	$464,366 12
Received since to the 20th inst.	4,531 44
Total	$468,898 56
Aggregate Disbursements to 13th inst.	$373,019 17
Expended since to the 20th inst.	10,357 55
Total	$383,376 [illegible]
Balance in Bank	$85,[illegible] 84

Messrs. Kelly, Kennedy and Purdy were appointed a Committee to receive specifications for proposals for furnishing the departments with meat the ensuing year. The object was to amend errors in the specification recently advertised.

An application was presented from the Opthalmic Hospital in Ninth-street, asking an appropriation on the ground that two-thirds of the beneficiaries of the Hospital were emigrants. Referred to the Out-door Poor Committee.

A communication was read from the Out-door Poor Committee asking the Board to appoint a suitable person at a salary of $1,000 per year to make inquiries into the condition and merits of applicants for aid, and report the same to the Board subject to their decision as to any disbursements. After some discussion it was laid on the table for further consideration at the next meeting. There being no further business, the Board adjourned.

SUPREME COURT—SPECIAL TERM—Dec. 19.

OPINION ON THE RIGHTS OF TAX-PAYERS AND POWERS OF THE TAX COMMISSIONERS.

In the matter of Isaac Adriance vs. The Supervisors of the City and County of New-York.—MITCHELL, J.—The Court delivered an opinion in this case yesterday. Adriance moved for a mandamus against the Supervisors of the County of New-York, to require them to remit so much of the tax on his real estate in John-street as is levied on the increased valuation of said property by the Tax Commissioners beyond the valuation by the Assessors, and also to remit the tax on any valuation of his property on the Third and Fourth-avenues, and between Fifty-eighth and Fifty-ninth-streets, beyond the value sworn to by him. The John-street property belongs to Mrs. Adriance, and was valued by the Assessors for 1853 at $[illegible]. The Tax Commissioners raised the valuation to $[illegible]; and when applied to to reduce it to the former valuation, refused to do so. Mr. Adriance applied to this Court to compel the Tax Commissioners to restore the valuation, and it was refused on the ground that the control of the books had passed from the Commissioners. He then applied to the Supervisors to correct the valuation, and they refused. The block on the avenues was valued by the Assessors at $[illegible]. Adriance appeared before the Commissioners and made affidavit that it was not in fact worth so more than $30,000. That affidavit was retained by the Commissioners, but they refused to adopt it as a correct valuation. Other lands belonging to him were valued by the Assessors at certain sums, and the valuation increased by the Tax Commissioners. Mr. Adriance applied to the Supervisors to correct all these alleged errors or irregularities, and they refused.

The first question in this case is whether a mandamus is the proper remedy in such a case. His Honor explains the law on this point at much length, and decides that as the Commissioners have no right to increase the valuation made by the assessors, and by the increase make illegal the assessment which they impose, they violate their duty as prescribed by the statute, and should be compelled by mandamus, when the application is made in due time, to restore the rolls so that they shall conform to the statute. And as the Supervisors of this County are to correct any erroneous assessment, they were bound to correct this, and should be required to do so by mandamus.

The next question related to the property on Third and Fourth-avenues. The right to a reduction there depended on the question whether Mr. Adriance had fully complied with the law so as to make his interested and biased opinion countervail that of the assessors. This point was investigated, and the law applicable thereto quoted, and the decision arrived at by the Court was that "The mandamus is denied as to all the property except that in John-street, and is granted as to that."

SUPREME COURT—GENERAL TERM.

Before Mitchell, P. J., Roosevelt and Clarke, J. J.

PRACTICE—COSTS.

Marks vs. Bard.—The facts in this case sufficiently appear in the opinion, which was delivered by MITCHELL, J.—The plaintiff sued B. H. Bard & J. Bard, Jr., with five other defendants, as joint makers of a promissory note. Those two defendants, with four of the other defendants, put in one answer, in which all six denied that the defendants made the note in question, or that the defendants were partners, and these two defendants also denied all knowledge of the facts stated in the complaint. At the trial the plaintiff moved to strike out the names of those two defendants from the complaint, and to discontinue the action as to them; and his motion was granted, with the addition that he pay one bill of costs to those two defendants. From the latter part of this order the plaintiff appeals. It was a matter of course, if his motion were granted, that he should pay the costs of the judgment to be entered against him in favor of those two defendants. He himself asked to discontinue the action as to them; he thus asked to separate them from the other defendants, and became subject to the costs that would follow from that separation. If their joining with the other defendants in making a defence would ordinarily have compelled them to share the fate of those defendants—the plaintiff's own motion relieved them from that position; his complaint was joint as to all, and the answer followed it and was joint—his motion severed these defendants, so that his complaint was no longer to be deemed as joining them with the other defendants, and it must, to do justice, be deemed also to have severed the answers of the defendants also. If this were not so, still the permission to discontinue as to the two defendants was in the discretion of the Court, and was evidently granted only on condition that they be paid their costs. If the plaintiff had not accepted this condition he would have been compelled for suing as partners those who were not partners.

Judgment should be affirmed, with costs.

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LONG ISLAND.

The Poor.

The Relief Department of the Williamsburg City Mission has recently been reorganized for the season, and the following gentlemen chosen managers: John Hamilton, No. 160 Grand-street; John B. Wells, No. 251 South Eighth-street; J. C. Gandar, No. 156 Grand-street; J. H. Vandewater, No. 105 South First-street; E. N. Colt, corner Fourth and South Eighth; W. H. Hickox, No. 180 Grand-street; J. W. Bulkley, No. 216 South Fourth-street; and W. H. Johnson, No. 50 South Third-street, Missionary. The object of the Society is to relieve the wants of the virtuous poor who are brought to want by sickness or lack of employment. Contributions of money, fuel, food and clothing of any kind are earnestly solicited, and will be received by the above Committee.

Frozen to Death.

An old, decrepid, colored man, well known in South Brooklyn, was found early yesterday morning, near the Hamilton-avenue Ferry, Brooklyn, nearly dead from cold. Officer BLACHICK, of the Third District Police, took him in charge, but he died before reaching the station-house.

Fire in Brooklyn.

Two three-story unfinished wooden buildings, at the corner of De Kalb-avenue and Ryerson-street, Brooklyn, were destroyed by fire yesterday morning. The property was owned by JAMES BROWN, whose loss is $1,200, covered by insurance.

CIRCUIT COURT—BROOKLYN.

Before Judge Rockwell.

The case of *Charles Christmas and R. J. Livingston vs. Josiah Trowbridge* was brought to a close in this Court yesterday. Verdict for defendant.

This was an action brought on a bond for the recovery of $14,000, with interest from 1837.

The defence set up was usury. The consideration of the bond was a loan on the United States Hotel and other property in Buffalo, defendant receiving $10,000 in cash, and Benjamin Rathbone's note, with eleven endorsers, for $10,000 more. The endorsements proved to be forgeries, and Rathbone had failed previous to giving the note, which was received on the strength of the endorsements, and also because it was preferred in the second class of Rathbone's creditors. It was also proved that Rathbone's note was of no value in the market.

SMALL-POX AT NANTUCKET.—We learn from the *Mirror* that the small-pox exists to a considerable extent in Nantucket. Fifty-four cases have been reported, including varioloid. The most of those first attacked have recovered, and of the whole number only three deaths have occurred. About twenty cases remain, the greater portion of which are varioloid. At the south part of the town the disease is disappearing, but it continues to spread at the north.

It is said that thirty thousand tons of coal are frozen upon the canal, between New-Hope and Easton. This calculation is made by a coal dealer of Trenton, and the Trenton *Gazette* says that efforts will be made to have the canal opened so as to allow the coal to pass out at Bristol.

MARRIED.

In this City, on Wednesday, Dec. 20, by Rev. Dr. Burchard, WILLIAM [illegible] to Miss MARY [illegible], daughter of Joseph McLaughlin, Esq., both of this City.

In this City, on Tuesday evening, Dec. 19, by Rev. John W. Moore, Mr. JONATHAN EDWARDS to Miss MARY F., daughter of Gerard W. Morris, all of this City.

In Brooklyn, on Tuesday, Dec. 19, by Rev. L. G. Wood, CHARLES E. LYNDE to A. AUGUSTA HARPER, daughter of J. W. Harper, Esq.

At Yorkville, on Tuesday, Dec. 19, by Rev. Mr. Frost, JOHN H. STURGES, of Alexandria, Va., to ELEANOR, daughter of the late John Constantine, of this City.

At Oak Neck, L. I., on Sunday evening, Dec. 17, by Rev. Wm. Wake, Mr. ROBERT S. TILFORD, of New-York, to Miss CATHARINE C. HALLOCK, of the former place.

DIED.

In this City, on Wednesday, Dec. 20, CORNELIA H., daughter of E. B. Purdy, Esq., aged 7 years and 8 months.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend her funeral, from the residence of her parents, No. 88 Spring-st., on Friday, the 22d inst., at 1 P. M.

In this City, on Wednesday, Dec. 20, at the fire in Broadway, JAMES T. LAWRIE aged 23 years, 5 months and 28 days.

The friends and acquaintances of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from the residence of his brother, No. [illegible] 20th-st., on Friday, at 1 o'clock, and also Lafayette Tent, No. 3, I. O. of R., and Continental Chapter, No. 13, Order of United Americans.

In this City, on Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 20, HERVEY BROWN, in the 65th year of his age.

The friends of the family are invited to attend his funeral, without further invitation, from his late residence, No. 141 West 22d-st., on Friday, at 1 P. M.

In this City, on Tuesday evening, Dec. 19, after a sudden illness, Rev. SAMUEL W. COLMAN.

The funeral will take place from the residence of his son-in-law, Albert Read, No. 29 West 22d-st., on Friday, at 1 P. M. The friends of the family are invited to attend.

In this City, on Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 19, JOHN STEWARD, in the 70th year of his age.

The friends of the family are requested to attend the funeral services to-morrow, (Thursday,) at 4 P. M., at his late residence, No. 100 8th-av., without further invitation.

In this City on Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 19, ALIDA GOUVERNEUR, youngest daughter of the late Rev. L. P. Bayard, D. D.

The friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, at St. Clement's Church, Amity-st., Thursday, 21st inst., at 12 o'clock M.

In Williamsburg, on Wednesday, Dec. 20, S. EVAN RHEES, aged 29 years, eldest son of the late Rev. Morgan J. Rhees, D. D.

His friends, and those of his family, are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, without further notice, on Saturday, 23d inst., at 10 o'clock A. M., from the First Baptist Church, corner of 5th and South 5th-sts., Williamsburg.

COMMERCIAL AFFAIRS.

For Markets See Sixth Page.

Sales at the Stock Exchange....Dec. 20.

7,000 Virginia 6s	[illegible]	150 N. Y. Central R. R.	[illegible]
1,000 do.	[illegible]	300 Erie Railroad	[illegible]
1,000 do.	[illegible]	100 do.	[illegible]
2,000 Hd. R. 2d M. Bds.	[illegible]	100 do.	[illegible]
1,500 Ill. Cent. R. R. Bs.	[illegible]	300 do.	[illegible]
5,000 do.	[illegible]	300 do.	[illegible]
500 N. Y. Cent. R. Bds.	[illegible]	100 do.	[illegible]
1,000 do.	[illegible]	100 do.	[illegible]
1,000 do.	[illegible]	50 N. H. & Hartf. R. R.	100
1,000 Erie Inc. Bonds	[illegible]	100 Harlem Railroad	[illegible]
5,000 Pan. Bds. 1st iss.	[illegible]	100 do.	[illegible]
24 Ocean Bank	[illegible]	100 Reading Railroad	[illegible]
10 Metropolitan Bank	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
15 Man. Gas. scrip	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
200 Nic. Transit Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
50 Canton Co.	[illegible]	100 Hud. River Railroad	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	100 Mich. Cen. Railroad	[illegible]
100 Pennsylvania Coal Co.	[illegible]	100 Mich. South. R. R.	[illegible]
200 Cumberland Coal Co.	[illegible]	100 Panama Railroad	[illegible]
[illegible] N. Y. Central R. R.	[illegible]	100 Clev. & Toledo R. R.	[illegible]

SECOND BOARD.

$10,000 Indiana State 5s	[illegible]	300 Nic. Transit Co.	[illegible]
5,000 N. Y. Cen. R. R. 6s	[illegible]	75 Reading Railroad	[illegible]
1,000 do.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
2,000 Panama Rds. 2d is.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
100 Penn. Coal Co.	[illegible]	150 Hudson River R. R.	[illegible]
100 Cumberl'd Coal Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
100 Canton Company	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
100 New-York C. R. R.	[illegible]	10 Nor. Indiana Constr.	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	100 Panama Railroad	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	100 Erie Railroad	[illegible]

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 20—P. M.

We yesterday presented a table of the reduction in the Loans of the several City Banks, since 1st July last to the last weekly statement, December 16, together with a general view of the Bank Movement between those dates. The following table affords a comparative view of the reduction of loans and the loss of apparent deposits—as they are returned in the weekly averages—by each of the City Banks:

CITY BANK MOVEMENT, JULY 1 TO DEC. 16, 1854.

	Actual reduction of Loans.	Apparent loss of Deposits.
American Exchange	$74,000	$1,514,000
Atlantic	75,000	150,000
America	200,000	580,000
Commerce	Inc'sed	480,000
Commonwealth	42,000	67,000
New-York	Inc'sed	380,000
North America	[illegible]	[illegible]
Republic	[illegible]	1,072,000
State	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bowery	[illegible]	[illegible]
Broadway	227,000	213,000
Butchers'	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chatham	[illegible]	175,000
Chemical	[illegible]	[illegible]
Citizens'	[illegible]	[illegible]
City	65,000	5,000
Continental	[illegible]	[illegible]
Corn Exchange	Inc'sed	[illegible]
East River	105,000	179,000
Fulton	287,000	237,000
Greenwich	75,000	131,000
Grocers'	35,000	[illegible]
Hanover	34,000	88,000
Island City	67,000	147,000
Irving	[illegible]	[illegible]
Leather	[illegible]	[illegible]
Manhattan	196,000	285,000
Marine	130,000	265,000
Market	[illegible]	141,000
Mechanics'	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mechanics' Association	[illegible]	109,000
Mechanics' & Traders'	[illegible]	44,000
Mercantile	[illegible]	[illegible]
Merchants'	[illegible]	[illegible]
Merchants' Exchange	[illegible]	[illegible]
Metropolitan	300,000	34,000
Nassau	[illegible]	Inc'sed
National	[illegible]	36,000
Dry Dock	31,000	Inc'sed
New-York Exchange	Inc'sed	Inc'sed
North River	87,000	151,000
Ocean	314,000	300,000
Oriental	79,000	40,000
Pacific	104,000	82,000
People's	217,000	308,000
Phenix	[illegible]	661,000
St. Nicholas	20,000	92,000
Seventh Ward	200,000	102,000
Shoe & Leather	110,000	164,000
Tradesmen's	132,000	134,000
Union	82,000	407,000
Bull's Head	Inc'sed	Inc'sed
Bank of Union	234,000	19,000
Central	450,000	305,000
Eighth-avenue	128,000	108,000
Knickerbocker	500,000	237,000
Empire City	482,000	295,000
Suffolk	331,000	140,000
Total	$8,681,000	$10,622,000
Difference in Clearances		3,960,000
Actual Loss Deposits		$6,663,000
Circulation reduced		1,916,000
Together		$8,578,000

The increased strength of the Banks is already partially felt on the rates for Money, although, with the exception of the few demand loans made to Stock Brokers, they keep up to pretty round figures, outside of Banks. The press of borrowers for accommodation is still very decided. Some paper was passed to-day at 15 ₩ cent., on which 18 would have been demanded a few days ago, and very choice names are, perhaps, less abundant at 12 ₩ cent. The principal difficulty at present appears to be with parties who are endeavoring, at every reasonable sacrifice, to sustain the high values which they have been accustomed for several years past to put upon their Real Estate, Steamship lines and other property outside the ordinary business circles. We incline to the belief that the merchants have fairly weathered the storm for the present, and that their Winter payments will be much easier met than during the Fall. Owing to the unusual interruption in the sailing of the European steamers, Produce factors and Shippers feel the difficulty, as well as low rates, of negotiating exchange. The former are also concerned about the large amounts of Western Produce embargoed by low water and the ice in the Ohio and Mississippi rivers. The great Railways are worked to their full capacity in bringing forward Flour and the lighter products of the interior, but this does not help Pork, Indian Corn, Whisky, &c. coming via New-Orleans. The same cause operates seriously against remittances from Cincinnati, Louisville, St. Louis, and New-Orleans. The state of Money and Exchange affairs at Cincinnati is almost as bad as during the late currency panic. At Charleston and Savannah, the business in Cotton is done almost exclusively in Sterling and New-York sight exchange. Time bills on the North are of difficult negotiation. At New-Orleans, sixty day New York bills rate 97½@98; only the very best commanding the highest figure.

Stocks maintained considerable firmness to-day throughout the list. Speculators look to the advent of the new year with a fair measure of hope that the Railway and some other interests which have had their dark day of trial since July last will improve. A number of the Western lines pay cash dividends out of the earnings of 1854, which with all the hard times in money, are unusually large. The Lake Shore, Cleveland and Columbus, Galena and Chicago, Ohio and Mississippi, Chicago and Rock Island, and at least one of the great Michigan lines, will make their January and February payments in cash. The decision of the Reading, New-York Central and some others, is not definitely known, although no doubt exists as to the magnitude of their gross earnings during the year. The affairs of the Panama Company brighten. The Road will be opened in January, with their present Share and Convertible Bond indebtedness, in whatever additional means may be required to close up the construction cost and equip the road, will be had without bearing upon the money market here. It is not unlikely that English parties, who were disappointed in the practicability of a Canal across the Isthmus, may come in for an interest in the Railway. The Bonds of the Company suddenly rose *Ten per cent.* to-day—being an advance 20 ₩ cent. on the heavy auction sales of Saturday fortnight. The last transaction, this afternoon, was at 84 ₩ cent. Between Boards there were private sales at 80 ₩ cent. The list of subscribers to the new Erie Loan has been further enlarged since Monday. The whole Loan will be taken—barring, of course, all unexpectedly bad news from the European money markets. It is not very creditable, however, to the City of New-York, that owes so vast a debt of favor to this work, that the majority, in amount, of the list of subscribers thus far, is composed of French and German bankers and merchants, who have really less interest at stake than our old capitalists and real estate owners, to say nothing of our merchants, whose wealth has been doubled by the great railways leading from this City to the West.

Our evening cotemporary who cavils at the November return of the Erie, cannot have forgotten that the system of reporting receipts on the road was changed early in the present year, from the first to about the twentieth day of each month, in order to make these monthly, informal reports, correspond with the results to the Company at the end of the Railroad year, or half year. Formerly—as in November, 1853—all receipts were reported on the first to the newspaper press, without waiting to adjust differences with the various connecting lines. Now, they are kept back until the actual earnings which properly belong to the road can be ascertained.

The November receipts of the Norwich and Worcester road were $26,[illegible] against $26,447 the corresponding month of last year. The Harlem earned $64,404 against $70,844. It is stated that *the Harlem Company will not pay their Preferred* Stock dividend in January, but will, if holders should so elect, reconvert the shares into the Bonds of the Company.

The Chemical Bank has made a half-yearly dividend of 6 ₩ cent. The Bank of North America 3½ ₩ cent. The Manhattan Savings a yearly interest of 6 on small and 5 ₩ cent. on sums over $500. The Bowery Savings 5 ₩ cent. on small and 4 ₩ cent. on sums larger than $500. The run on the Savings Banks has almost entirely ceased. The Bank in Chambers-street has sent forward $100,000 additional of its United States Stocks, reserving the remainder for future use. In regard to the present offer of the Secretary of the Treasury to redeem at 116 ₩ cent. the Loans of 1867 and 1868, and the shorter loans in proportion, which offer expires on 31st inst., provided the sum bid for, $3,650,000, is not sooner sent forward, we feel well assured that it is the best by from 3 to 5 ₩ cent. that will be done for some time to come. No new offer is likely to be put forward immediately. The Secretary will probably take a few weeks, possibly a month or more, to consider the state of the money market, the condition of the Treasury, and the obligations imposed on it by the appropriation bills, and above all the future prospects of the Customs revenues, now rapidly falling off, before fixing his terms. The Sub-Treasury here received $47,636 to-day; disbursed $105,461, and held at the close on the regular balance, $3,[illegible]. This sum is $1,842,[illegible] below the balance of last Saturday, the difference, for the most part, passing directly into the Banks. The Brooklyn Bank of Savings has sent forward $100,000 or $200,000 Government Loans.

Boston Banks.

From the Boston Advertiser, Dec. 20.

A comparison of the footings of the weekly Bank Statement of the Boston Banks, with those of the statement of the previous week, exhibits the following result:

	Dec. 11.	Dec. 18.	
Capital Stock	$[illegible]	$[illegible]	Inc. [illegible]
Loans and Discounts	[illegible]	[illegible]	Decr. [illegible]
Specie in Bank	[illegible]	[illegible]	Decr. [illegible]
Due from other Banks	[illegible]	[illegible]	Decr. [illegible]
Due to other Banks	[illegible]	[illegible]	Decr. [illegible]
Deposits	[illegible]	[illegible]	Decr. [illegible]
Circulation	[illegible]	7,[illegible]	Decr. 254,571

The increase of capital is at the Eliot Bank, $[illegible].

SALES OF STOCKS AT PHILADELPHIA.—Wednesday—First Board—$2,000 Long Island Railroad 6s, [illegible]; $100 Pennsylvania 5s, [illegible]; $1,000 City 6s, (C. & P.) [illegible] N. P. R. [illegible]; 15 Penn. Railroad, [illegible]; 30 do. [illegible]; 100 Pennsylvania Fire Insurance, [illegible]; 50 Beaver Meadow Railroad, [illegible]; 100 Long Island Railroad, [illegible]; 300 Lehigh Zinc, [illegible]; 100 Reading Railroad, [illegible]; 50 do. [illegible]; 1 Harrisburg R. R. [illegible]; 2 Philadelphia Bank, [illegible]; 2 do. [illegible]; 5 Mechanics' Bank, [illegible].

Between Boards—20 Commercial Bank, 54; 16 Girard Bank, [illegible].

Second Board—$3,000 Susquehanna Canal 6s, [illegible]; $2,000 Beaver Meadow Railroad 6s, [illegible]; $2,000 City 6s, (C. & P.) [illegible]; 25 Lehigh Navigation, [illegible]; 4 Beaver Meadow Railroad, [illegible]; 50 Reading Railroad, [illegible]; 75 Pennsylvania Railroad, [illegible]; 100 Lehigh Zinc, [illegible].

After Board—50 Reading Railroad, [illegible].

Closing Prices—United States 6s, '[illegible], [illegible] United States 6s, '67, [illegible]; Pennsylvania 5s, [illegible]; Reading Railroad, [illegible]; Reading Railroad Bonds, '70, [illegible]; Reading Railroad Mortgage 6s, '44, [illegible]; Pennsylvania Railroad, [illegible]; Morris Canal, [illegible]; Schuylkill Navigation 6s, '82, [illegible]; Schuylkill Navigation Stock, [illegible]; Schuylkill Navigation Preferred, [illegible]; Long Island Railroad, [illegible]; Vicksburg Railroad, [illegible]; Girard Bank, [illegible]; Lehigh Zinc, [illegible]; Union Canal, [illegible].

Passengers Sailed.

In steamship North Star, for Aspinwall and California—Capt. T. Stanley, A. C. Monroe and lady, Mrs. Hodges and child, G. P. Smith and lady, Mrs. Tice, Miss Tice, Mrs. S. Moir and child, Mr. Niven and lady, S. S. Brunson, W. B. Comstock, Mr. O. Wise, G. C. Potter, Mrs. Poot, Mrs. Imbush, J. H. Hitchings, Mrs. Hitchings, Mrs. Hall and servant, J. Converse and lady, J. Nathan, J. [illegible], J. E. Holcomb, C. W. Randall, H. [illegible] and servant, J. C. H. Martin, Adams & Co.'s messenger, Mr. Sheppard, Hinckley & Co.'s Messenger, Wells & Fargo's messenger, N. W. Kent, C. Levine and lady, Mrs. Levine, Mrs. [illegible] wing and infant, J. Hatch, E. Birckett, Mrs. E. Leroni and child, Mrs. Case, F. Berrier and child, Capt. J. Willeston, Capt. C. Willeston, Capt. T. Belser, Miss M. Algie, Mrs. E. Bradwell and infant, M. Colden, Mrs. [illegible], M. Cobb, E. Mitchell, M. Bushnell, F. Brown, W. B. Green, Mr. Levine and servant, C. McCucker, G. Fricker, C. Hedley, G. Bocholder, A. Bleakley, B. S. Hoadley, M. Lodgen, M. McDonough, J. McCarty, H. Wayne, S. B. Fulton, J. Bell, [illegible], [illegible] [illegible], [illegible].

SUN-SET ALMANAC—THIS DAY.

Sun rises..... 7 21 | Sun sets..... 4 35 | Moon sets..... [illegible]

HIGH WATER—THIS DAY.

Sandy Hook.... 9 12 | Gov. Island...10 02 | Hell Gate.....11 [illegible]

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

NEW-YORK, WEDNESDAY, DEC. 20.

Cleared.

Steamships North Star, Warnock, Aspinwall, M. O. Roberts; Nashville, Berry, Charleston, Spofford, Tileston & Co.; Clyde, (Br.,) Woodward, St. Thomas, Muirhead, Phelps & Co.

Ships Comet, Hinckley, San Francisco, Carey & Co.; Siddons, Taylor, Liverpool, F. P. Stanton.

Bark Clara Windsor, Bolton, Port-au-Prince, R. Rodney & Graves.

Brig E. E. Grosso, (Brem.,) Wiegmann, Laguna, W. Gofecken.

Schrs. Orris Growl, Smith, Boston, Brown & Haviland; Mary Powell, Davidson, Wilmington, E. S. Powell; L. S. Davis, Davis, Savannah, McCready, Mott & Co.; Grecian, Bunnell, Jacksonville, master; Harriet Hallock, Fox, Wilmington, D. C. Murray.

Propeller M. Sanford, Sandford, Philadelphia, Sandford's line.

Sloops John Adams, Holbeck, Wareham, J. H. Benton; Charles, Sturgis, Providence, master.

Arrived.

Ship Miss Grossman, Magna, Havre 39 ds., with mdse. and 401 passengers to Everett & Brown. Has experienced heavy gales on the passage, and has been 15 ds. W. of the Banks. Had 5 deaths.

Ship Jane E. Cooper, (of Boston,) Moore, Cardiff 50 ds., with railroad iron to order.

Bark Dolphin, (of Boston,) Seale, Bordeaux 68 ds., with brandy, &c., to A. Basmarion.

Brig Sarah and Eliza, (Br.,) Morris, Windsor 3 ds., with plaster to Whitney & Co.

Schr. Forrest, Brown, Millbridge 10 ds., with lumber to Smith & Boynton.

Schr. Commodore Kearney, Ricker, Boston, with mdse. to S. W. Lewis.

Schr. W. Pickering, Mitchell, Machias, with lumber to Sturges & Co.

Schr. Robin, Wallace, Millbridge, with lumber to Simeon Mayhew & Co.

Schr. Delphin, Foster, Machias 4 ds., with lumber to Mayhew, Talbot & Co.

Schr. Julia Small, Crowell, Boston, for Philadelphia.

Schr. Prince Deboo, Tripp, New-Bedford.

Schr. J. L. Hammond, Kinney, Mohawk, R. I.

Schr. W. Woodbury, Manning, Rockland.

Schr. Ann Denman, Getchell, Rockland.

Sloop Harvest, Corwin, Providence.

Sloop Blackstone, Reynolds, Providence, with mdse.

Sloop America, Baker, Providence, with mdse.

Sailed.

Steamships North Star, for Aspinwall; Nashville, Berry, Charleston.

BELOW—3 ships, unknown.

WIND—During the day, N. W.

By Telegraph.

BOSTON, Dec. 20—Arr. ship Thomas Perkins, from New-Orleans; bark Dousing, from Malaga.

Domestic Ports.

ATTAKAPAS, (La.)—Dec. 7, arr. brig Edith, of East Machias, from Grenada, to load for New-York.

Spoken, &c.

Nov. 28, lat. 45, lon. 31, exchanged signals with ship St. Bernard, from New-York for Havre.

Dec. 7, lat. 42 17, lon. 51 52, exchanged signals with Br. [illegible], of St. John, N. B., bound E. Same day, was seen Br. ship John Lam, bound E.

Dec. 10, lat. 42 30, lon. 60 40, exchanged signals with a brig steering N. W., showing a signal with white ground and blue cross.

Dec. 14, lat. 40 37, lon. 67 31, ship Caledonia, from New-York for Glasgow.

Dec. 12, lat. 40 30, lon. 67 30, was seen clipper-ship [illegible], of Boston, bound [illegible].

Dec. 14, lat. 40 33, lon. 69 40, Hamburg ship Elise, from Hamburg, bound to New-York, 54 ds. out.

WANTED.

SITUATION WANTED—By a highly respectable Protestant woman, as cook, washer, or ironer; is a very competent cook, and a splendid laundress; understands pastries, jellies, &c.; no objection to a respectable boarding-house. Call at No. 75 21st-st.—old No. 56—for two days. Has the best of City references from private families.

SITUATION WANTED—By a respectable Scotch woman as nurse and seamstress; can take care of a baby from its birth, as she has always lived in that capacity; can cut and fit children's dresses. Best City reference can be given. Call at No. 284 6th-av., corner of 22d-st. Can be seen for two days.

SITUATION WANTED.—A young man of first-rate business experience would like to make an engagement in any respectable business in which the strictest integrity would be an important element in the qualifications. Reference exchanged. Address REGNOR, Times office.

SITUATION WANTED—By a young woman, to take entire charge of a baby, or of small children; is a good chambermaid and waiter. Please call at present place, No. 75 Hicks-st., Brooklyn.

SITUATION WANTED—By a Protestant man, 28 years of age, as coachman in a private family; understands vegetable gardening in the season, if required. Please address ELLIOTT, office of this paper.

SITUATION WANTED—By a respectable woman as cook and to do washing and ironing; best of City reference given. Call at No. 264 6th-av., corner of 22d-st. Can be seen for two days.

SITUATION WANTED—As chambermaid and waiter, by a girl, who can give a good recommendation from the family she now lives with. Apply at No. 37 Rutgers-st.

SINGLE MAN WANTED IMMEDIATELY—To go a short distance in the country, a Protestant, who understands farming in all its branches; to such a [illegible] wages will be paid, and steady employment. Inquire at the office of this paper.

SEAMSTRESS.—Wanted, by a respectable Protestant woman, a situation as seamstress in a private family; she has a perfect knowledge of dressmaking in all its branches; no objection to make herself generally useful. Inquire at No. 134 21st-st., up stairs.

BOOKKEEPER WANTED—A jobbing dry goods house of large business is in want of a man of great experience and energy of character, of unsullied reputation, and of strict business habits, and who would be willing to devote his whole time to his employer's interest; and to such a one a liberal salary would be paid. Address, with name, references, and other particulars, INDUSTRY, Box No. [illegible] Post-Office.

HOUSEKEEPER.—An English Lady of middle age, and of the highest respectability, is obliged from circumstances to take a situation as the above. Any gentleman, widower who would have a most desirable person as regards respectability, economy, and comfort, may [illegible] engage her. Her friends advertise for her. Address E. L., No. [illegible] Broadway.

HOUSEKEEPER.—An English widow lady requires a situation, either as companion to a lady, or to an invalid, or to travel; as housekeeper to either a lady or gentleman, where the family is not large. The friends of this lady can speak not only as to her very great respectability, but also to her capabilities in any situation. Address V. V., Times Office, New-York.

MUSICAL.—An organist and music teacher of acknowledged reputation, wants to get a situation to play on an organ or melodeon in some Church, in either city or country. N. B.—Has had an experience of ten years in managing choirs. Address for further information, D. M. PALMER, Newbury, O. County, N. Y.

YOUNG LADY WANTED—To assist in the duties of a Ladies' Boarding School to teach Music, Drawing and Painting. Apply to C. S. FRANCIS & CO., No. 252 Broadway.

CHANCE FOR BUSINESS.—Wanted, men to sell useful domestic articles in city or country, at which active, industrious men, with small capital, can make large wages. Apply at No. 257 Bowery, New-York.

50 GENTLEMEN WANTED—To engage in a steady business, from which $5 per day may be realized. Positively no humbug. Address a letter with 12 cents or stamps, or call on BROWN & GORHAM, No. 67 Dey-st., up stairs. Full particulars with specimen sent by return mail.

WANTED.—A place is wanted in a gentleman's family for a competent servant, with suitable testimonials. Apply at grocery No. 811 Broadway.

BOARDING.

BOARDING.—GENTLEMEN AND THEIR WIVES and single gentlemen, would further their views in obtaining GOOD AND SUBSTANTIAL BOARD and the comforts of a PLEASANT HOME, by application at No. 117 6th-st., between 5th and 6th-avs.

BOARDING—Within five minutes' walk of the Fulton Ferry, Brooklyn. Rooms for single gentlemen or two friends. Terms from $3 to $3 50. Every attention paid to comfort, and a Bagatelle table for evening amusement. No. 68 Henry-st., Brooklyn.

BOARDING.—Gentlemen and their wives or single gentlemen can find good board and a pleasant home at No. 125 West 20th-st. House contains all the modern improvements.

BOARDING.—Transient and permanent Board, also Room without board. Terms reasonable. No. 1 1st-st., corner of the Bowery.

BOARD WANTED UP-TOWN—In an American family, by a Protestant French teacher; middle sized room, grate or stove, plain food, permanent home; (partial or full board. Answer, with terms moderate, (per month,) HUGUENOT, Times Office, prepaid.

BOARD WANTED—By a gentleman, down-town, between Chambers and Barclay-sts. preferred. A room with grate or stove will be required. Address ARTHUR, Herald Office.

BOARD WANTED.—A single man wishes to get comfortable apartments with partial board, in a respectable family, near Broadway, between 14th-st. and 20th-st. Satisfactory reference given. Address Box No. 2,475 Post-office.

BOARD IN BROOKLYN—A gentleman, wife, and one or two single gentlemen, can be accommodated with pleasant rooms in a private family; house, now, within five minutes' walk of either the Wall-st. or Fulton Ferries. Inquire at No. 20 Clark-st. near Fulton-st.

BOARD IN BROOKLYN—A few desirable rooms at No. 32 Livingston-st., near Clinton, and convenient to Wall-st. and Atlantic Ferries. To persons furnishing themselves, will be let at a moderate price. One furnished single room.

ROOMS TO LET.—A very small private family would let a pleasant suite of rooms to a gentleman and his wife, or to a party of single gentlemen, in a house with all the modern improvements and convenient to stages and cars. No. 51 West [illegible], between 5th and 6th-avs.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET—With or without board, in a house having all the modern improvements. Terms moderate. Apply at No. 28 West 20th-st., between 5th and 6th-avs.

ROOMS TO LET—At No. 2 Clinton-place. A parlor on the first floor, and two rooms on the second and third floors, suitable for single gentlemen, with, or without partial board. References exchanged.

FINE ARTS.

FINE ARTS.—Belgian Free Gallery of Paintings and Statuary, No. 497 Broadway. D. BRACKELEE, Jr., sole accredited agent for the Belgian School of Art, would respectfully announce to the amateurs of fine arts of this great metropolis that he has just received from Europe four valuable paintings by the most celebrated artists:

1. THE JUBILEE OF FIFTY YEARS, by FR. DE BRAEKELEER.
2. THE VENETIAN MASQUE, by NICAISE DE KEYSER.
3. THE STORM, by BOSSE.
4. THE BULLS, by Mme. VERBOECKHOVEN.

These paintings will be exhibited from 10 A. M. to 10 P. M., from this date to the 24th December. Admission free.

NEW PAINTING BY ARY SHEFFER.—The subscribers respectfully announce to the public that having received a beautiful painting, by the celebrated Ary Scheffer, they will exhibit it for a short time in their Fine Arts Gallery. This picture,

THE TEMPTATION OF CHRIST,

is the latest composition of Scheffer, and is confidently offered for the consideration of the public, as a specimen of the highest art. Subscriptions for a fine Line Engraving, from this painting, will be received at the Gallery. Exhibition open from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Admission free.

GOUPIL & CO., No. 366 Broadway, New-York.

GREAT SALE OF BEAUTIFUL ENGRAVINGS AT REDUCED PRICES.—At No. 403 Broadway, opposite Bond-st., comprising the best pictures of Landseer, Horace, and many others, which will positively close on SATURDAY EVENING, Dec. 23. Exhibition free. Open day and evening. All the prices are marked in plain figures.

AMUSEMENTS.

PERHAM'S TROUPE—NO. 663 BROADWAY.—ON MONDAY EVENING, and Every Evening this week, The Laughable Operatic Extravaganza of DON GIOVANNI; Or, THE SPECTRE ON HORSEBACK. With Original Music, New Scenery, Dresses, Tricks, &c. Miss MORTON, (first appearance) as Donna Anna. WARDEN, in the great character of Leporello. BOYD, the inimitable Ethiopian, as Don Giovanni.

Engagement, for a limited period, of MR. F. LANE, the CHAMPION JIG DANCER.

The entire company will appear each evening in AN UNEQUALED PROGRAMME OF ETHIOPIAN SONGS, CHORUSES, SOLOS, DUETS, JIGS, FANCY DANCES, &c.

Doors open at 6½; commence at 7½ o'clock. Cards of Admission, 25 cents.

GIFT TICKETS AT ONE DOLLAR EACH, issued in connection with the Mirror of North and South America, now in Boston will, for the present, by Special Arrangement, admit four persons each, to PERHAM'S BURLESQUE OPERA HOUSE. 48,000 OF THESE TICKETS ALREADY SOLD. ONLY 52,000 MORE TO SELL.

To be obtained from 9 A. M. to 9 P. M., at No. 663 Broadway. Each purchaser of one of these tickets will be presented with a certificate of share in the 10,000 VALUABLE AND COSTLY ARTICLES awarded by Mr. Perham to his patrons.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC, FOURTEENTH-STREET, Union-square.—Positively the last appearance, but one, of Mme. GRISI and Sig. MARIO. Only night of the Opera of LUCIA DI LAMMERMOOR. Also, the 1st Act of NORMA. Madame BERTUCCA MARETZEK and Sig. LORINI, with Signorina DONOVANI and Signori BADIALI and SUZINI.

On FRIDAY, Dec. 22, 1854. PRICES OF ADMISSION.

Parquette and First Circle of Reserved Seats	$2 00
Promenade Tickets	1 00
Second Circle of Boxes	1 00
Amphitheatre	50
Private and Proscenium Boxes, from	$8 to $20 each

Seats may be secured at the Box Office, on 14th-st., daily, from 9 A. M. till 5 P. M., and also at WILLIAM HALL & SON'S, No. 239 Broadway, and at VAN NORDEN & KING'S, No. 45 Wall-st. Doors open at 6½—Opera to commence at 7½ o'clock.

ENGLISH OPERA AT NIBLO'S GARDEN.—Tickets to all parts of the house, 50 cents; Orchestra Arm-chairs, $1 each; Private Boxes, $5. Doors open at 6½. DRESS CIRCLE SEATS MAY BE SECURED FROM 9 A. M. TILL 5 P. M. DAILY, WITHOUT EXTRA CHARGE.

THURSDAY EVENING, Dec. 21. Last appearance of Mlle. NAU in her great character of LUCY ASHTON, In Donizetti's favorite Opera of LUCY OF LAMMERMOOR.

Lucy	Mlle. NAU	Edgardo	Mr. St. ALBYN
Col. Ashton	Mr. IRVING	Bide-the-Bent	Mr. HORNCASTLE
Arthur	Mr. HARRISON	Norman	Mr. CHAMBERS
Musical Conductor			Mr. THOS. BAKER

In rehearsal, and will shortly be produced, THE BOHEMIAN GIRL.

CHRISTMAS NIGHT.—THE NEW-YORK HARMONIC SOCIETY, By an arrangement with the Lessee of the ACADEMY OF MUSIC, will perform on CHRISTMAS NIGHT, Dec. 25, Handel's Oratorio of the MESSIAH. Chorus and Orchestra of 300 persons. Solo parts by Signora VIETTI VERTIPRACH, Mrs. GEORGIANA STUART, Miss MARIA S. BRAINARD, and Signor BADIALI, and S. A. JOHNSON. GEORGE F. BRISTOW, Conductor. Tickets to all parts of the House 50 cents; Reserved seats, 50 cents extra. Tickets may be procured at JOLLIE'S, No. 300 Broadway; RAYNOR'S, No. 76 Bowery; and seats secured at HALL & SONS, and at the ACADEMY.

CHRISTMAS NIGHT.—THE NEW-YORK HARMONIC SOCIETY, by an arrangement with the Lessee of the Academy of Music, will perform on Christmas Night, Dec. 25, Handel's Oratorio of the MESSIAH. Chorus and Orchestra of 300 persons. Solo parts by Signora VIETTI VERTIPRACH, Mrs. GEORGIANA STUART, Miss MARIA S. BRAINARD, Signor BADIALI and S. A. JOHNSON. GEO. F. BRISTOW, Conductor. Tickets to all parts of the house, 50 cents; Reserved seats, 50 cents extra. Tickets may be procured at JOLLIE'S, No. 300 Broadway; RAYNOR'S, No. 76 Bowery, and seats secured at HALL & SONS, and at the Academy.

A GRAND AFTERNOON ENTERTAINMENT by PERHAM'S TROUPE, No. 663 Broadway, on SATURDAY, THE 23d, commencing at 3 o'clock. LADIES AND CHILDREN will be afforded an opportunity of witnessing the GREATEST ETHIOPIAN TROUPE IN NEW-YORK. Doors open at 2 o'clock. Admission 25 cents. On CHRISTMAS DAY, THREE SPLENDID PERFORMANCES, commencing at 3, 5, and 7½ o'clock P. M.

BUCKLEY'S OPERA HOUSE.—No. 539 Broadway. EVERY NIGHT THIS WEEK. NEGRO MINSTRELSY. And the much admired Fairy Opera of BEAUTY AND THE BEAST, in two acts, with splendid scenery, choruses, dances, &c., introducing all the beautiful melodies of the piece. Concert commences at 7½ o'clock. Tickets 25 cents; reserved seats 50 cents.

GEO. CHRISTY & WOOD'S MINSTRELS.—Since the destruction of their Hall by fire, will perform EVERY EVENING, at MECHANICS' HALL, No. 472 Broadway. Admission 25 cents. H. WOOD, Business Manager. GEORGE CHRISTY, Stage Manager.

A CONCERT OF SACRED AND MISCELLANEOUS MUSIC, given at the [illegible] Church for the BENEFIT OF MR. M. LAMARE, THURSDAY EVENING, Dec. 21, 1854, at 7½ o'clock. The following favorite Vocalists have kindly volunteered their services: Mrs. GEORGIANA E. STUART, Miss ANNIE GRISWOLD, Prof. F. E. VANDERWEYDE, Mr. WILLIAM H. OAKLEY, Mr. F. H. NASH, Mr. J. W. ALDEN, and others, assisted by an efficient Chorus composed of the Choir of the Church and Amateurs. Prof. VANDERWEYDE will preside at the Piano. Tickets 25 cents. May be obtained of Mr. JOEL SAMMIS, cor. of Grand and Orchard-sts.; Mr. S. HOOD, No. 360 Bowery; Mr. WM. BARNES, cor. of 2d-av. and 11th-st.; and at the door on the evening of the Concert.

BURTON'S THEATRE.—Chambers-st.—THURSDAY, Mr. MORRIS BARNETT, in his celebrated personation of MONSIEUR JACQUES. [illegible] in the last [illegible], the Manager has much pleasure in presenting such a perfect gem of acting to the public. THIS EVENING MONSIEUR JACQUES, in which Mr. Morris Barnett, Mr. Andrews, Mr. Moorhouse and Miss Raymond will appear. After which the new Play, THE UPPER TEN AND THE LOWER TWENTY, which continues unabated in its attraction. Characters by Mr. Burton. APOLLO IN NEW-YORK to-morrow night, with UPPER TEN.

BROADWAY THEATRE.—E. A. MARSHALL, Sole Lessee.—Doors open at 6½ o'clock, and the performance commences at 7, precisely. Boxes and Parquette, 50 cents; Family Circle and Upper Tier, 25 cents; Private Boxes, $5 and $6. THIS EVENING, Dec. 21, will be played the beautiful Opera entitled the FRA DIAVOLO. Fra Diavolo, Mr. W. Harrison | Giacomo ... Mr. Horncastle; Beppo ... Mr. Meyer | Zerlina ... Miss Louisa Pyne. To conclude with A LUCKY HIT.

WALLACK'S THEATRE.—Doors open at 6½ o'clock, curtain will rise at 7½. Dress Circle and Parquette 50 cents; Second Tier, 25 cents; Orchestra Stalls, $1; Private Boxes, $5 and $7. THIS EVENING, Dec. 21, will be presented an entirely new Comedy, entitled TWO TO ONE; OR, THE KING'S VISIT. After which, the new Comedy of A GENTLEMAN FROM IRELAND. To conclude with the Farce of MY WIFE'S SECOND FLOOR.

METROPOLITAN THEATRE—BROADWAY.—HENRY WILLARD, Lessee.—Prices of Admission: Dress Circle and Parquette, 50 cents; Family Circle and Upper Boxes, 25 cents; Private Boxes, $5, $6; Balcony Boxes, 75 cents; Orchestra Stalls, $1. THIS EVENING, Dec. 21, will be acted the Comedy of MONEY. Evelyn ... Mr. Anderson | Clara ... Mrs. M. Jones. To conclude with the Drama of MICHAEL ERLE.

STADT THEATRE.—Nos. 37 and 39 Bowery.—THURSDAY, Dec. 21, will be presented, Flotow's grand Opera of MARTHA; OR, THE FAIR AT RICHMOND. Principal Characters by Signora D'ORMY, Madame SIEDENBURG, Herr QUINT, Herr VINKE. Conductor ... JULIUS UNGER. Prices of Admission:—Boxes $1; First Circle, 50 Cents; Reserved Seats, 25 Cents extra; Parquette, 25 Cents; Gallery, 12 Cents. Seats may be secured at the Box Office, from 10 A. M. till 4 o'clock. Doors open at 6½ o'clock; to commence at 8 o'clock.

BARNUM'S AMERICAN MUSEUM.—The celebrated and popular American actor, Mr. J. R. SCOTT. THURSDAY, Dec. 21—AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, ADELE, and TO OBLIGE BENSON. EVENING, at 7½ o'clock, LUKE THE LABORER. Philip, J. R. Scott. THE MAID OF THE MOUNTAIN. NATIONAL POULTRY SHOW, Premiums $[illegible]—Jan. 16, 1855. NATIONAL BABY SHOW, Premiums $1,000—June 5, 1855. Admittance to all, 25 cents; children under 10, 12½ cents.

THE HYBRID OR SEMI-HUMAN INDIAN FROM MEXICO.—The Stuyvesant Institute, No. 659 Broadway.—This is pronounced to be the most popular Exhibition in New-York. Nearly one thousand persons have visited her during the last two days and a half. La Muger Oso is the lion of the day. Ladies are captivated with her affability and patriotic Spanish character. The link between mankind and the ourang-outang is recognized by medical and scientific men. Dr. Mott's startling speech to Mr. J. A. Rose, confirming the duality of La Muger Oso, has created an indelible impression on the public. During the holidays Julia Pastrana will continue to hold her levees. Admittance 25 cents.

LADIES' FAIR—In the Chinese Buildings, No. 539 Broadway, will be open on the days and evenings of THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY of this week. The band from the Blind Institution have kindly volunteered their services for the occasion. A great variety of useful and fancy articles, books, toys, &c., will be for sale on very reasonable terms. The proceeds will be devoted to aid the building of a Protestant Episcopal Free Church to be known as the "Ladies' Memorial of Bishop Wainwright."

THE CELEBRATED ABBOTT COLLECTION OF EGYPTIAN ANTIQUITIES.—Numbering upwards of a thousand objects, the most complete, valuable, and instructive exhibition in the City, is open day and evening at the Stuyvesant Institute, No. 659 Broadway. Admission 25 cents.

OFFICE OF THE RECEIVER OF TAXES, New Court-House.

TAXES OF 1854.—Notice is hereby given that one per cent. was added on the 1st of December on all taxes unpaid at that date, and that a further addition of one per cent. will be made on the 15th day of December, on all taxes then unpaid. Notice is also hereby given, that on the 1st day of January next, interest will be added on all taxes then remaining unpaid, at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum, calculated from the first day of August, 1854.

HARVEY HART, Receiver of Taxes.

EDWARD A. FRASER, COUNSELOR AT LAW, and COMMISSIONER OF DEEDS for the States of New-York and Connecticut, No. 88 Broome-st., New-York. Titles of real estate examined, and mortgages procured on bond and mortgage.